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HENRY COTTON LEADS FIELD
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UNCONVINCINGBRITONS WELL
TO FORE

London, June 27.

Magnificent performances by a score of British golfers over the Royal St. George's course at Sandwich to-day have given rise to strong hopes that Britain will retain the open championship trophy in the British Isles for the first time for eleven years.

Britain has seldom had a better-looking chance at the end of the first round of the championship tournament, competition proper.

The American challengers were most unconvincing. They were not so smooth and accurate on the greens as usual. Denmore Shute, the holder, alone showed good form, and he finished up four strokes behind the leader, Henry Cotton.

But for a couple of putts, Cotton might have established a new record for the course, although it would have been pretty near a miracle. As it was he went round in a brilliant 67, which would have established a record. Had he not himself broken the course record by two strokes on Tuesday when he returned a card of 66 in the qualifying competition.

YOUNG PRO'S GOOD ROUND.

The surprise round was, however, pulled out by F. Targart, a young assistant professional from Cheshire. He aggregated a nicely played 70 and led the field until Cotton brought in his 67, and then occupied second place, with seven others in close attendance with 71. A. H. Padgham was among this number. He was playing with all his old confidence and only a small spot of trouble at one or two places, marred a round of almost perfect golf.

BEST AMATEUR.

The best amateur performance was put up by Leslie Garnett, the London millionaire Guardsman, who did a 78 without troubling himself much. Garnett, it will be recalled reached the semi-final of the amateur open championship, being defeated by Lawson, Little, the ultimate winner.

Outside Denmore Shute, the best American card was that of Kirkwood, who finished seven strokes behind the leader. Gene Sarazen needed 76 and MacDonald Smith needs to put up some sensational rounds if he is to continue in the running.

LEADING SCORES.

Leading scores were:
Henry Cotton (Brussels) 67
F. Targart (Wimslow) 70
A. H. Padgham (Sunderland) 71
H. S. Laidlaw (Wentworth) 71
C. A. Whitcombe (Creswick Hill) 71
Bert Hodson (Chigwell) 71
C. S. Denny (Thompson Hall) 71
Denmore Shute, U.S.A. 71
Dallmege (France) 71
P. J. Mahon (Birr, Ireland) 72
E. R. Whitcombe (Meyrick Park) 72
G. Good (Romiley) 72
A. Weston 72
W. T. Twine (Langley Park) 72
P. Allis (Beaconsfield) 72
Leslie Garnett (Addington) 73
J. Adams (Royal County Down) 73
Other scores included:
Joe Kirkwood, U.S.A. 76
Gene Sarazen, U.S.A. 76
MacDonald Smith, U.S.A. 77

SIR FREDK. MAZE
IN LONDONLONG TALK WITH THE
PREMIER

London, June 27.
Mr. Ramsay MacDonald had a long talk this evening with Sir Frederick Maze, who visited the Prime Minister in his room at the House of Commons.—*Reuter*.

INTENSE HEAT AT
CHINKIANGMercury Rises To 110
Degrees

Shanghai, June 28.
A report from Chinkiang states that the mercury there soared to as high as 110.2 degrees yesterday. Streets are deserted owing to the intense heat and business is at a standstill.—*Central News*.

BANDIT ATTACK
ON CHURCHARSON ATTEMPT
NEAR SHANGHAIPRIEST USES
REVOLVER

Shanghai, June 28.

A graphic story of an attempt to destroy the Roman Catholic church at Zose, in the Shanghai hills last week, was revealed to-day by Father Savio.

Father Savio was alone in his residence when the church was set on fire. He was aroused by the barking of his dogs and noticed that the church was on fire.

He immediately rushed out with a revolver in his hand, and attempted to beat out the blaze.

He was fired upon by one of three bandits while engaged in the task and he returned the fire with his revolver, with what effect he did not know, other than that the bandits fled.

A fox terrier who joined him in chase of the gang was slightly wounded.—*Reuter*.

HUPEH-HUNAN
BANDITSRESISTING AIR
BOMBING

Hankow, June 28.

Marshal Chang Hsueh-liang returned here by air at 5 p.m. yesterday from Huangchuen after an inspection tour of the Hupeh-Hunan border.

The Marshal was interviewed by General Liu Chen-hau, the C-in-C. of the Bandit Suppression Forces, and he ordered increased efforts for the suppression of bandits, who are reported to be holding their ground despite Government air-bombing activities.—*Reuter*.

U.S. NOVELIST
DEADE.M. RHODES PASSES
AWAY

New York, June 27.

The death is reported from San Diego, California, of Mr. E.M. Rhodes, the well-known novelist, at the age of 65 years.

Mr. Rhodes was a cowboy in New Mexico for 25 years, and began writing for publication in 1906. His first novel was "Good Men and True," and he wrote many in later years.—*Reuter*.

Chu Lin, a pantry-boy on the s.s. Cap St. Francis, was injured yesterday through a fall into a hold while the ship was at the Takoo Docks.

With injuries, including a scalp wound, Pang Siu-fat, a passenger on the s.s. Takada, was taken ashore to hospital on the arrival of the steamer during the week-end. The injuries are said to have been inflicted by another Chinese in an altercation during the voyage from Singapore.

VAST AIR
EXPANSION
SCHEMECABINET KEEPS
THE SECRETPLANS TO BE
PUSHED AHEAD

London, June 27.

Another hint that a vast air expansion scheme will shortly be pressed forward to completion was given to-night.

Mr. Stanley Baldwin's recent assurance of the Government's determination to secure parity in the air with any country within striking distance of Great Britain was repeated by Lord Londonderry, Minister for Air, in the House of Lords, in reply to a speech by Lord Mottistone.

Lord Mottistone urged the immediate remedying of the inadequacy of the air defences of the United Kingdom.

PLANS SECRET.

Lord Londonderry stated that as the Government could no longer hope for an international convention that would solve the problems of Europe, the Cabinet has decided that they can no longer delay in taking the steps necessary to provide adequately for the air defence of the United Kingdom.

It was impossible at the present time to give the definite nature of the contemplated expansion of the Royal Air Force or to indicate the lines along which it would proceed, but there need be no apprehensions that the plans and arrangements were not fully under way.

EMPIRE LINKS.

Earlier, in reply to Lord Ellbank, Lord Londonderry emphasised that the Dominions and the Government felt that it would be incompatible with the self-government of each and the interests of all that any attempt should be made to establish a Central-Defence Air Force for the Empire. He added that nevertheless every effort was being made to link the air forces of the Empire as closely as possible.—*Reuter*.

BANKER'S SON
ARRESTEDFOR AIDING STRIKE
PICKETS

Jersey City, June 27.

Corliss W. Lamont, the son of Mr. T. W. Lamont, famous banker, was arrested here to-day for picketing in front of a local furniture factory.

He is to be charged with disorderly conduct.

Corliss Lamont is thirty-two years of age and a Socialist.—*Reuter*.

FIRE IN OLD FOREIGN
OFFICESerious Outbreak in
Nanking

Nanking, June 28.

Ten buildings were destroyed or damaged in a fire within the old Wanchiaupu Compound last night as a consequence of a short circuit.

The fire raged for half an hour before it was brought under control.

As these old buildings had been turned into a dormitory for employees of the Wanchiaupu, no official documents were involved in the fire.—*Central News*.



"TICKLED TO DEATH." The leading spokesmen for the Senate silver bloc do not attempt to hide their satisfaction at the recent Administration policy in the matter of restoring the price of the white metal. Photo shows, left to right, Senators Adams, King, Key Pittman, and Borah, on leaving the White House.

THE NULLAH
OUTRAGEMAN STILL IN
DETENTION WARDLIKELY TO STAY
A FORTNIGHT

Enquiries made this morning at Police Headquarters yielded the information that the Chinese who was rescued from the nullah after the outrage which resulted in the death of Michael Pine is still in the detention ward at the Government Civil Hospital.

The detained man has not yet been able to make a coherent statement, or to give an account of his movements on the day of the outrage.

It is likely that he will have to remain in hospital for at least another fortnight, as he is suffering from a broken thigh and other injuries.

Should his identity be definitely established as the perpetrator of the outrage and a charge be preferred against him, the indictment will be one of murder.

STRIKE THREAT
IN U.S.LITTLE HOPE OF
PREVENTION

Washington, June 27.

A strike of 75,000 workers in the woolen industry in the State of New England is threatened on Monday.

The Union's demands include the restoration of the 1929 wage level and a reduction of hours to not more than thirty a week, with no reduction in pay, and representation on the Wool Textile Code Authority.

Mr. Blanchard, Deputy N.R.A. Administrator, has asked that the strike be called off pending the creation of an Industrial Relations Board, but the Union organiser, Mr. Joseph Silver, has held out little hope that the strike will be avoided.—*Reuter*.

BRITISH AMBASSADOR
IN JAPANPresents Credentials
to Emperor

Tokyo, June 28.

Sir Robert Clive, the new British Ambassador in Tokyo, and his suite, proceeded to the Imperial Palace at 10.15 a.m. to-day and presented his credentials. The proceedings were extremely cordial.—*Reuter*.

MR. HENDERSON AND
LABOUR PARTYResigns Position As
Secretary

London, June 27.

Mr. Arthur Henderson has definitely resigned the post of Secretary of the Labour Party, although he is still prepared to continue the Treasuryship and to act consultatively.

Mr. Henderson is, of course, one of the "elder statesmen" of the Party.—*Reuter*.

LANCASHIRE
BETTER PLEASEDATTACK ON UNFAIR
COMPETITIONTRADE OUTLOOK
IMPROVED

London, June 27.

Steps taken by the British Government to counteract certain aspects of unfair trade competition based on deliberate currency depreciation were welcomed by Sir Allan Sykes at the annual meeting of the Bleachers' Association in Manchester.

Reviewing the effects of the Textile Mission's visit to India, he said the mission had contributed a new and better feeling between the two countries.

In referring to the results of India's recent negotiations with Japan, he thought it reasonable to assume that India would now use not less than an additional 200 million yards of Lancashire-made cloths.

An increase of Lancashire's textile trade, he added, would be substantial in volume if the world's trade as a whole increased. Lancashire was well equipped to take the fullest advantage of any improvement, of which there were some signs.—*British Wireless*.

BRITAIN'S RETAIL
TRADEIMPROVEMENT OVER
LAST YEAR

London, June 27.

The money value of retail trade sales in Britain last month was 7.7 per cent. greater than in May 1933.

For the first four months of the trading year, the total sales were 3.8 per cent. above those for the corresponding period of 1933. Stocks at the end of last month were 2.2 per cent. higher and employment was 3.1 per cent. greater than at the end of May last year.—*British Wireless*.

TROOPS
ON VERGE OF
MUTINYSERIOUS AFFAIR
IN AUSTRIAHOSTILE TO THE
HEIMWEHR

Graz, June 27.

A serious incident suggesting unrest in the Austrian army occurred to-day at Graz, which was one of the principal storm-centres in the February Socialist revolt.

A party of four hundred regular troops broke their barracks and demonstrated in the public square against the Starhemberg Heimwehr organisation, and they attacked and beat any members of the Heimwehr that they found on the streets.

Other troops, with fixed bayonets, were called out and succeeded in driving the demonstrators back to barracks.

The incident arose from a Heimwehr assault yesterday on a soldier, since when all soldiers were ordered to be confined to barracks.—*Reuter*.

CHINESE SHIPPING
COLLISIONCAPTAIN AND OFFICER
TO BLAME

Shanghai, June 28.

Holding that the collision between the Chinese steamers Tsingtau and Fuchow near Kiang-yang on January 17, which caused the drowning of forty of the Fuchow's passengers, was due to negligence on the part of Captain Liu Pei-sheng, of the Tsingtau, he was fined \$1,000 by the Shanghai District Court yesterday.

Zau Yung-sen, the other Tsingtau officer, was fined \$600, and both were ordered to pay \$10,000 compensation to the owners of the Fuchow.—*Reuter*.

DOLLAR AGAIN
RISESLOCAL MARKET VERY
FIRM

There was a further advance of 1/8th in the Hongkong dollar on opening this morning, the quotation being 1s. 6 1/2d. The inter-bank rate is very firm, business having been done at 1s. 5 1/2d/16d. Reflecting confidence in further silver advances, the market generally is extremely steady.

GOLD EMBARGO REMOVED.

St. John's, June 27.

The Newfoundland Government has issued a decree removing the embargo upon gold exports.—*Reuter*.

NO DENIAL
OF HUGE
PURCHASE
PLANREFUSE TO DISCUSS
QUESTIONGENERAL FUND
TO BE USED

Washington, June 27.

If Senator Dies yesterday revealed Administration secrets regarding proposals to embark upon a huge silver-purchasing programme, the Treasury declines to admit that any cat has been let out of any bag.

The report that the United States Government has decided to embark upon a silver-buying programme involving the purchase of some 1,254,000,000 ounces in the course of the next six months has aroused widespread interest, but the effect has been to close the avenues of information at the Treasury, where officials refuse to discuss the question of silver.

TREASURY MUM.

The Treasury is at present authorised to purchase silver exceeding a thousand million ounces, but it cannot at present be definitely determined whether they intend to do so or when.

Treasury officials also decline to comment on the statement of Senator Dies that the Treasury has already bought 75,000,000 ounces of silver.

GENERAL FUND BUYING.

The Treasury has throughout consistently declined to reveal the figures of its purchases and as most of the silver purchased has been paid for from the resources of the Stabilisation Fund, the figures do not appear in the daily Treasury statement.

The Treasury, however, intends to begin purchases from its general fund at some time in the near future and its acquisitions of silver will then be shown daily.

BROKERS WARNED.

The Commissioner of Internal Revenue has warned brokers holding long positions for holders outside the United States that they must procure immediately sworn statements from their clients covering the facts which must be shown upon liquidation. If they are liquidated after September 1. Until then, if it is impossible to obtain a memorandum sworn to by the owner, the broker must prepare a memorandum on behalf of the owner if the contract is to be liquidated.—*Reuter*.

TRADE AGREEMENT SIGNED

London, June 27.

The Anglo-French Trade Agreement was signed at the Foreign Office this afternoon by Sir John Simon and Mr. Walter Runciman on behalf of Britain and by the French Ambassador on behalf of France.—*British Wireless*.

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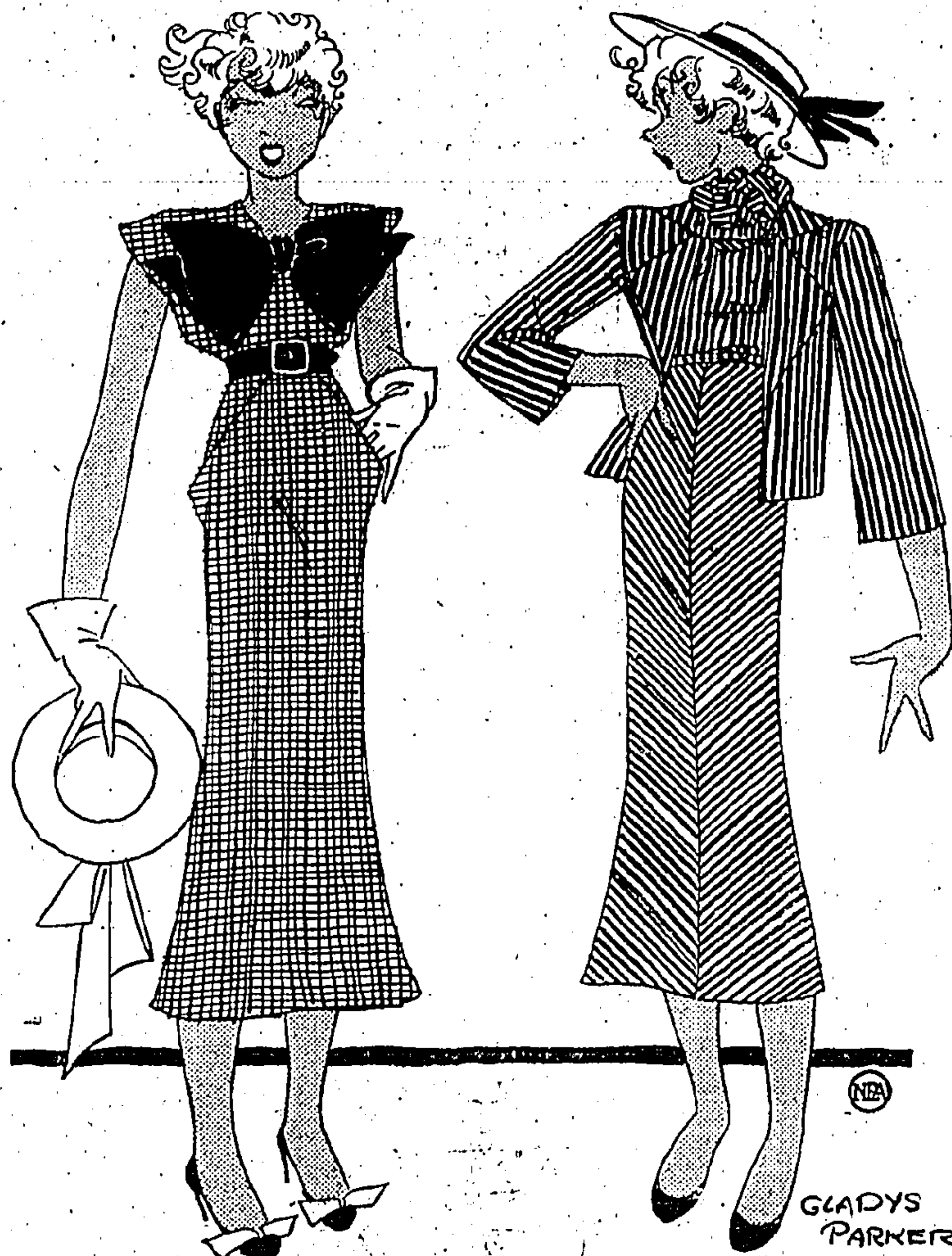
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In midsummer, after the urge for pale pastels and bright prints has been satisfied, it is difficult to find something entirely new and exciting that isn't too dark to go well against the summer landscape. And, yet, these checks and stripes seem to fill the order perfectly. They are easy to wear, fit themselves into any wardrobe, and are appropriate for every summer occasion that isn't actually formal.

The red and white striped silk suit is made of a material that is

not only cool but uncrushable as well. This is probably the nicest thing that can be said about a summer outfit. The skirt is cut on the bias which makes a good contrast with the vertical stripes of the blouse and jacket. The stripes at the neck-line also run on the bias and it is gathered and held with an enormous chrysanthemum of the same material. The jacket hangs straight and has slit pockets, while the collar is made so that it gives the effect of having

extremely notched lapels. It's a grand coat to wear over your white sports dresses, too.

A combination of navy blue and white is almost unbeatable for warm weather, and when it's combined in checks with a big navy taffeta bow, you have flattering crispness. The slanted pockets cut into the skirt stand out a bit, and are kind to hips whether they're large or small, and the heavy leather belt gives a good line to the waist.

GLORIFYING YOURSELF.

Get Rid of Hollow in Your Back

By Alicia Hart

A five-minute exercise, practiced twice a day, will eliminate the hollow in any woman's back. And, once that posture defect has been corrected, she is well on the road to a more perfect figure.

Lie on your back flat on the floor, arms at sides. Bend knees

and let the weight of your legs rest on the bottoms of your feet. Putting the weight on the middle of the backbone and not on the feet, raise the last two links of the spinal column off the floor and do not allow them to touch it again. As you do that, you will notice that the hollow in your backbone disappears and that every inch of the spine, except those last two vertebrae, touches the floor. Hold the position, trying to dig your backbone further into the floor. Relax and repeat

the exercise until it is no longer difficult for you to straighten the spine. Notice how the stomach muscles are drawn up and in when the hollow is removed from the centre of the back.

When you get up, try to stand exactly in the position in which you were lying on the floor—stomach drawn in, backbone straight with the last two vertebrae tucked under. It will be hard at first but with practice the correct posture will seem perfectly natural to you.

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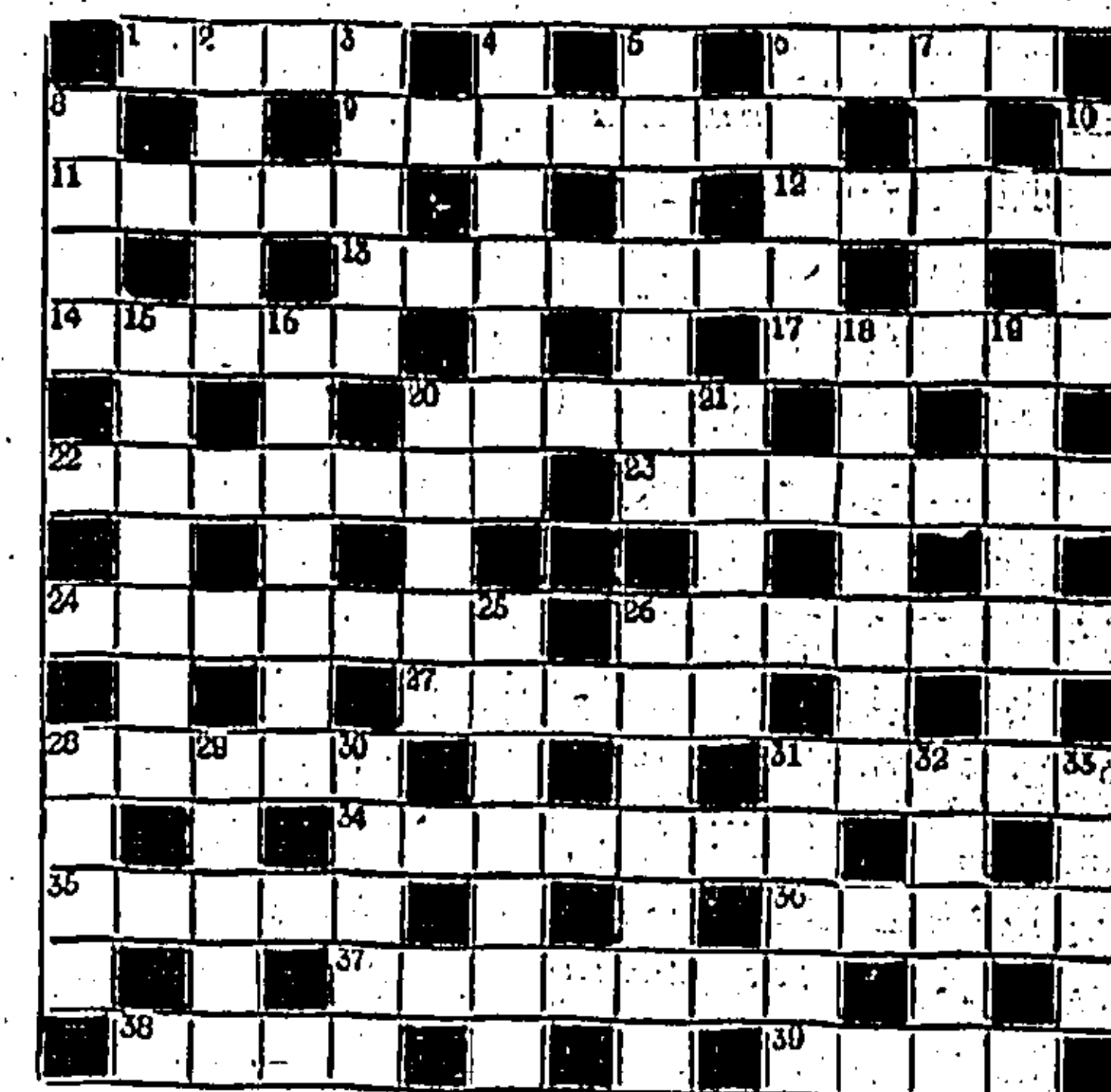
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- 1 Be this yourself, and get a move on!
- 6 May mean a good deal.
- 9 Shakespearean Pistol, possibly, in Act IX.
- 11 Fight that sounds like peace.
- 12 A shaver may get keen on the best part of this river.
- 13 Just Hell!
- 14 Mount.
- 17 One of the "Don't's" of golf.
- 20 English town with fifty sheep in it.
- 22 Great-grandma used to work it; it was larger after the start.
- 23 In harness, and once Bow-street.
- 24 Trees around a Bible king in France.
- 26 Scoundrel out of sorts in vain.
- 27 A royal reception.
- 28 How the schemes of mice and men gang aft agley.
- 31 It's exorbitant to seek.
- 34 Avenger (Anagram).
- 35 A bone in your leg.
- 36 Prophet like the sound of horse and bee.
- 37 A red rose appears altered in a cathedral.
- 38 Trees.
- 39 There's a bore in this Peninsular river.

Down

- 2 Not company, we are told.
- 3 The kind of progress you expect in the Fleet.
- 4 He jeers, but is responsible for a proposal in the end.
- 5 Stray in muddled mud, and all the jollier.
- 6 One form of sport.
- 7 You surely are not bound to be.
- 8 River-goddes?
- 10 Change your rent!

- 15 Such a passion sounds ripping.
- 16 On the staff.
- 18 A little lock.
- 19 Received by the striker, but in that case it can't be his fault.
- 20 Not subject to sudden depressions.
- 21 Did she sing "The Song of the Shirt"?
- 25 Such as Isle is Britain in poetry (hyphen).
- 26 Sometimes runs round the house.
- 28 How easily he might become a dolt if he could get the D.
- 29 Della is much changed.
- 30 Yes at the start, from the Puritan maid, and yet wait all this time!
- 31 The meaning, accompaniment of sound.
- 32 A Surrey village.
- 33 Musical folk associate it with circumstance.

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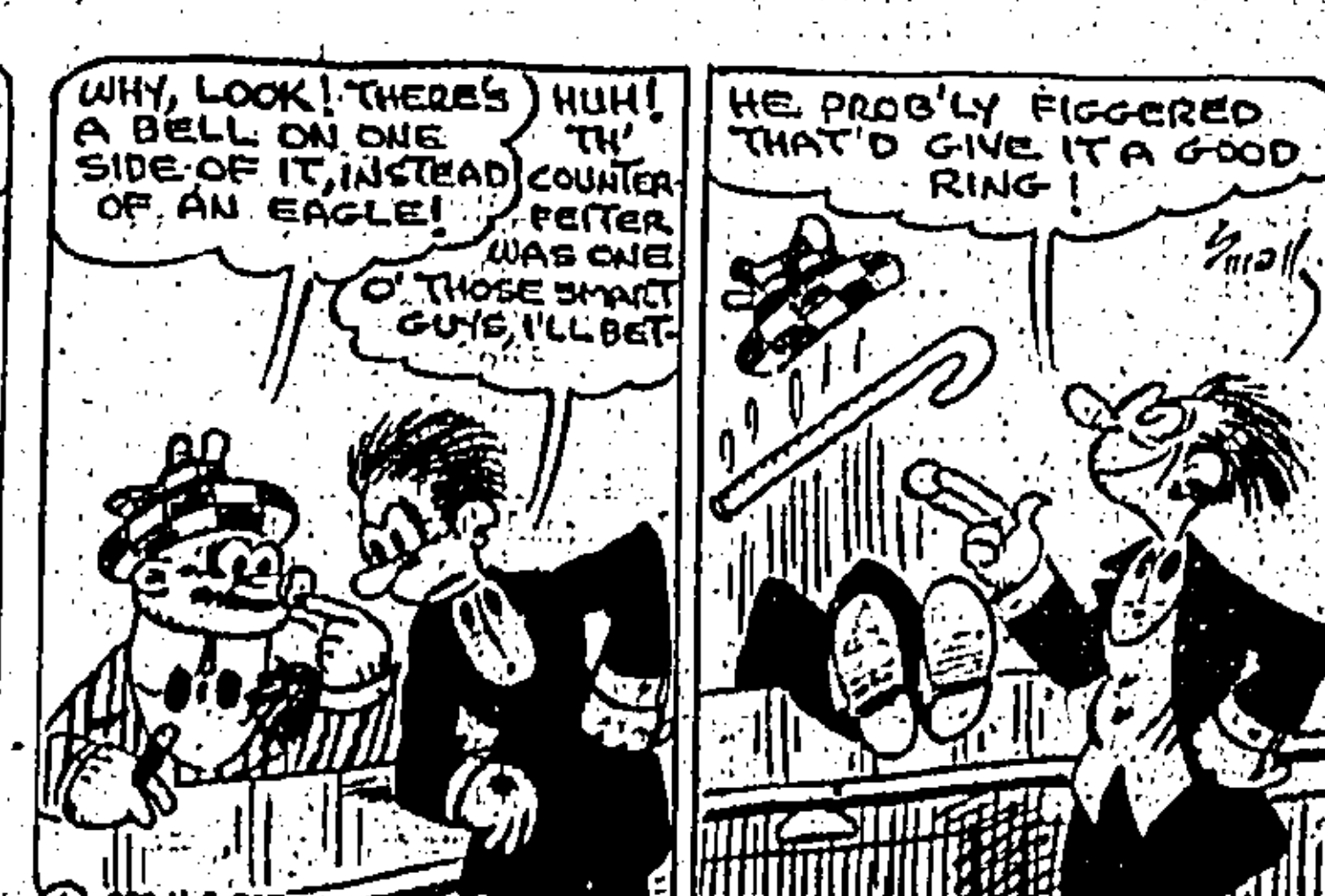
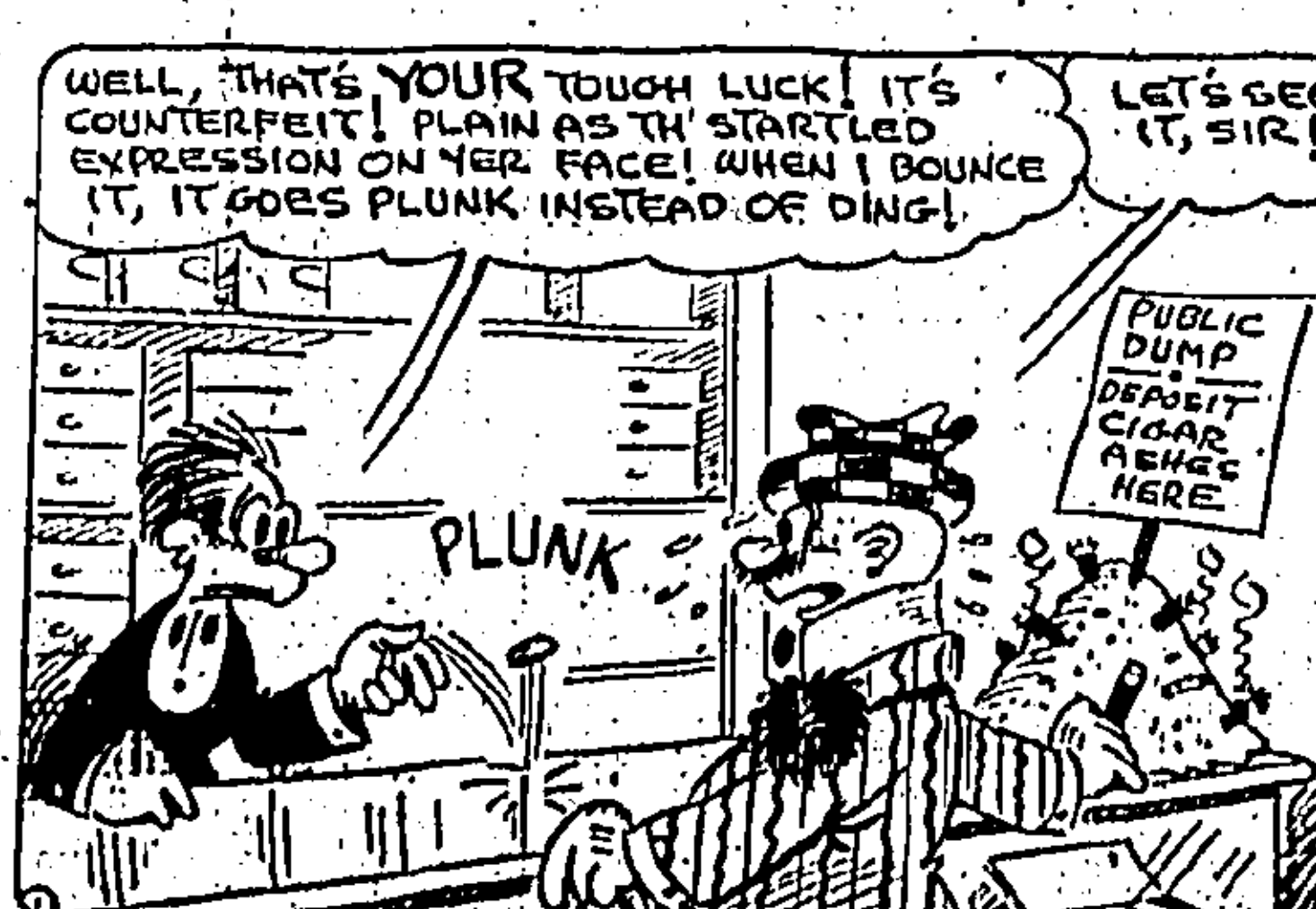


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CHAPTER XXXVII

Tom didn't understand the change that had come over Gypsy but he was grateful for the new peace and gaiety in the house. Although Vera's name was never mentioned, her presence in the city—in the office, in fact—appeared no longer to trouble young Mrs. Weaver. Tom had heard of letting sleeping dogs lie and believed in the axiom: Vera was still pretty anxious to know why she and "Tommy dear" couldn't be better friends. She pretended to believe she had done something to offend him. In a thousand small ways she contrived to be near him, and yet so innocently were the encounters managed that he could never be certain they had been engineered. If it had not been for Gypsy's earlier suspicions he would have put himself down as a fatuous fool for even considering the matter.

But there were no two ways about it, he couldn't ever bring Vera and Gypsy together. They didn't like each other and never would. Vera was a good business

woman. There were plenty of things he would have liked to discuss with her outside the office. Her mind was keen. She had a fine shrewdness. And so it was that he fell again and again into small traps of her making. He would be lunching at the sandwich bar and she would appear beside him with a plate of cold cuts and a salad. Tom would listen, talk, smile while the lovely woman at his side, her gilt hair just showing under the demure small hat, would murmur, encourage, applaud: "You handled Whitman exactly right, Tommy."

"Think so?" Even a clever man like a flatterer. Tom Weaver was like a flatterer. Tom Weaver was like a flatterer. Tom Weaver was like a flatterer.

"Do I think so? I know it, you blessed idiot." Vera's flashing smile belied the words. "Bert's having the gang at his place Monday night. I wish you could get up there. The Manners people are coming. They'd be useful," Vera would say with a speculative look.

Tom would flush, stammer, get out of it. Of course, Vera understood. Of course, he was busy. It was quite all right.

"Damn it all," Tom would mutter to himself later. "I'd better run out on that girl. This will come to no good."

Later, at home, he would talk to Gypsy about the Whitman matter. "I got that soap account I told you about," he would say with becoming modesty at dinner.

"Oh, really, dear? Now where did I put that carving knife? On where did Elsa put it? She's getting so careless..." Gypsy would put down the platter with the steak: "Sit down while everything's hot, darling. What was it you were saying about something?"

Tom might sigh a little. It wasn't that Gypsy lacked interest. She had plenty of it but she was just wrapped up in other affairs. She might notice he looked a bit downcast.

"Tell me more about it, darling," she might urge. "You know I'm thrilled to hear..."

And Tom might go on but the first rosy glow of his enthusiasm would be dimmed. He would harbour the suspicion that Gypsy was more concerned about the sauce for the cauliflower than anything else.

Hunt Gibson had fallen into the habit of "dropping around" in the evening. These were the first warm nights of summer and in the city the spell was evident. Gypsy, in thin, many-times-washed organdies from last season, would sit sewing under the amber lamp.

"Come in," she would say welcomingly. "I thought you'd be out at the Lido Club tonight. Ronny said you were all going."

Tom would go out into the kitchen to stir up a cool drink and Hunt would explain lightly that he had changed his plans at the last minute; something had come up.

Occasionally he brought Sue with him—Sue, looking unusually pretty and extremely wrath-like these days. But oftener than not he came alone.

One night after Tom had closed the door after their guest he came back into the living room and stood, thoughtful and silent, for a moment. His quiet, listening attitude gave Gypsy pause.

"What's up, darling?" He stared down at her. "I've just come on something. That chap's in love with you."

She burst into a peal of laughter. "Where did you get that idea?"

"Heldidn't smile. 'Happens to be true.'"

Gypsy was annoyed. "Tommy, you never talk that way. It's—it's not a bit nice of you, really. We don't go in for this sort of thing, do we?"

"Sorry, darling. Forget it. May be I'm just imagining things."

They dropped the subject then and there but neither of them forgot it entirely. Gypsy had always said she despised young married women who carried on flirtations—either openly or behind their husbands' backs. It all seemed pretty cheap, somehow.

But she found the thought of Hunt's liking her wasn't entirely unpleasant. Why, when she had been jealous of Tom, angry at him because he had been seeing Vera Gray, she had even entertained the thought of irritating him with an admirer of her own. Of course that was as far as she had gone—merely thinking of it. All wives, she reminded herself, do that at moments; the spirit of retaliation is neither a noble nor a beautiful one and she was ashamed now of her sentiments.

Just the same, it gave her a small, secret satisfaction to think that Hunt admired her.

Sue telephoned her one day and asked her to come to tea at the Vanderbilt, their old meeting place.

"I'd love to," Gypsy said. "How does it happen you're on the loose to-day?"

But Sue was vague. She would explain, she said, when they met.

It was warm, clear and bright. Gypsy wore her new printed silk, black with a scattering of field

flowers, and her wide shallow-crowned hat. She felt cool, well dressed and happy, a delightful combination. Her steps fairly danced along the crowded pavements and when she came into the deep, high-ceiled hotel lobby with its furniture already gay in summer silp covers it was with an almost overpowering sense of well being.

Sue, in this dim light, was pale. Her forget-me-not eyes were enormous and the few faint golden freckles on the bridge of her small nose made her white skin look almost translucent. Gypsy felt a pang of concern. Why, Sue was ill, really ill, and not one of them had noticed it!

They sat over their tea, two well dressed young women with pleasant voices, and no one noticed them particularly. One was dark—the other red-haired, and they behaved, the casual onlooker would have said, like old friends.

But the first words Sue said to Gypsy were scarcely what the casual onlooker would have guessed them to be. She said, "I wanted to see you before I went away. I'm terribly ill. I may not be in New York again."

"May not be... why, Sue dear! This is dreadful. What is it and why didn't you let me know before?"

"The hand stirring the cup of tea trembled and Sue's under lip trembled, too. 'It's nerves,' she said. 'I'm all shot to pieces. I'm going out west, to Wyoming, to Aunt Henry's. I shall stay there—oh, forever, perhaps!'"

Her eyes shone with unshed tears and her voice shook. Gypsy watched her, troubled. Sue who had always been so happy-go-lucky, so utterly care-free—what on earth had brought her to this state?

"You've been working too hard," she said. "And playing too hard in the bargain. Why, only the other day Hunt said..."

Sue interrupted her, eyes glittering. "Hunt said what?"

(Continued on Page 10.)



"For the female of the species is more deadly than the male." A left-hander lunge by a woman who holds a bludgeon in her right. Photo was taken during the riots at Minneapolis.



Scores of arrests were made after the severe fighting at Toledo when two were killed and a hundred badly injured in the Auto-Lite Factory disputes. Photo shows a group of captive being loaded into a patrol wagon.



After the troops were called out at Toledo, all approaching the Auto-Lite works were searched for concealed arms. Photo shows one man with his hands up.



Misfortune met Capt. George Pond and Lieut. Cesare Sabelli, when they crashed into a sandbank in their landing in Ireland, 32 hours after they left New York. The airmen are shown here inspecting the damaged undercarriage.



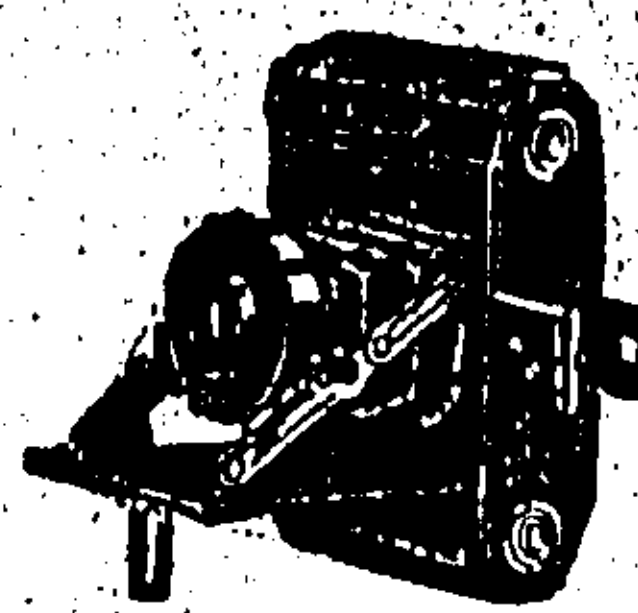
Fire hose, tear gas bombs, and night sticks routed rioters at the Buffalo plant of the Curtiss Aeroplane Company, when strikers and sympathizers attacked nonunion workers. This picture shows police and doggies halting a striker who attempted to swing the fire hose into the policeman's ranks.

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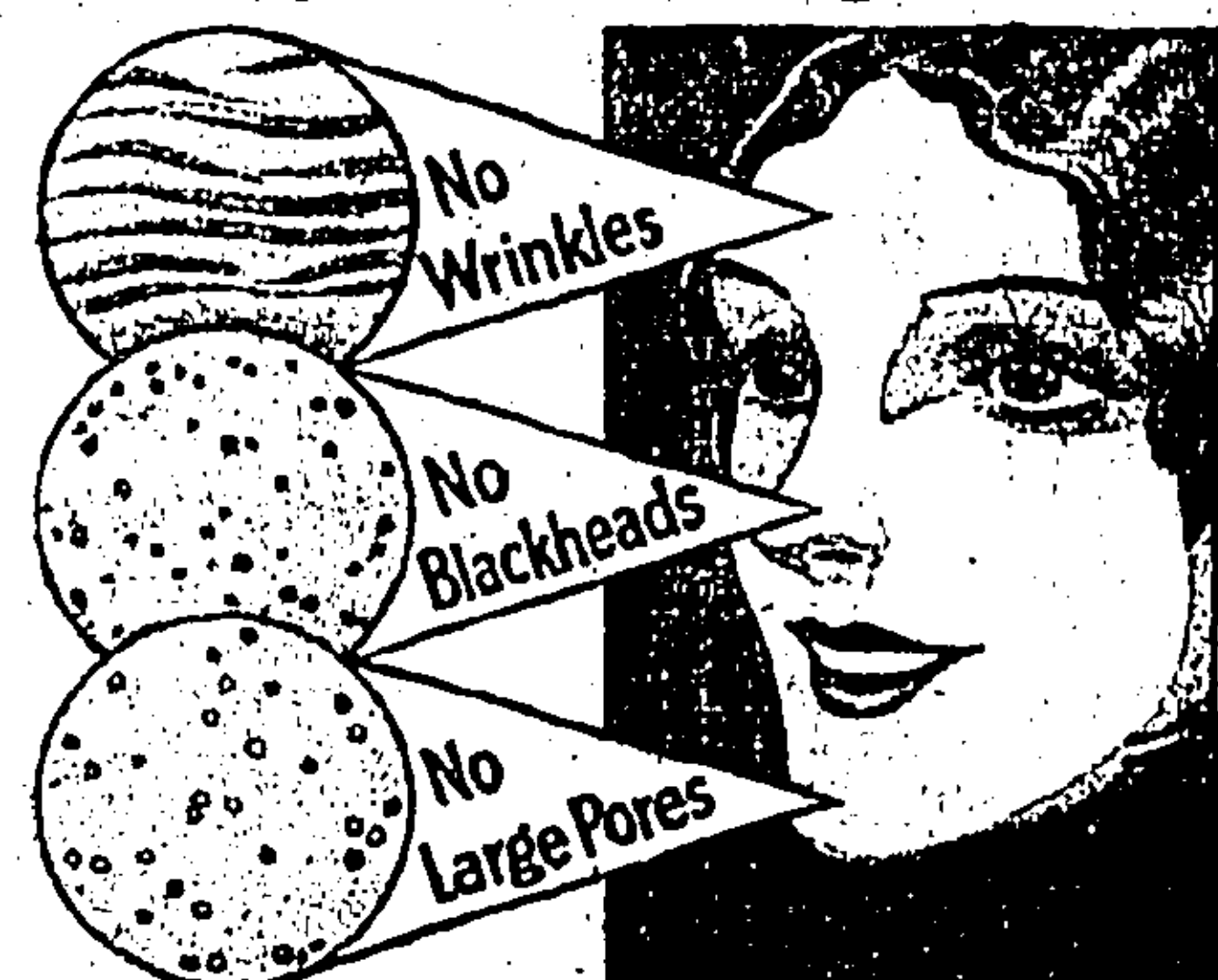
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TUNGAN VICTORY COMPLETE CONTROL IN KASHGAR

Simla, June 27.
The Tungan tribesmen are now in control of Kashgar and practically all southern Sinkiang, and as far as the Afghan borders, ac-

ording to messages received here. Renewed fighting recently occurred between the Tungsans and attacking forces from the North Province, presumably directed by Chinese with Turki help and under Soviet influence.

The Turki element in Southern Sinkiang, under the leadership of Hodjaniz, who claims to be head

of the Turki Republic, is now reported to be desirous of returning to the Chinese regime, provided Soviet influence is excluded.

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The following is the list of local share quotations issued to-day.

Banks.
H.K. Banks, \$1840 n.
H.K. Bank (London), £130½ n.
Chartered Bank, £16¼ n.
Morcantile Bank, A. & B. £28 n.
Morcantile Bank C, £15 n.
East Asia Bank, \$91 n.
Asia O. Finance Corp., Sh. \$20 n.
China O. Fin. Ord., Sh. \$4 n.
China O. Fin. Pref., Sh. \$5 n.

Insurance.
Canton Ins., \$300 n.
Union Ins., \$572½ s.
China Underwriters, \$120 b.
China Fire, \$510 n.
H.K. Fire Ins., \$250 n.
International Asso., \$0 n.
Shipping.
Douglas, \$40 n.
H.K. Steamboats, \$7 n.
Indo-Chinas, (Pref.), \$30 n.
Indo-Chinas, (Def.), \$33 n.
Shells (Bearer), 50/- n.
Union Waterboats, \$11.70 b.

Mining.
Antamoks, 60 cts. s.
Balatocs, \$32 n.
Baguio Gold, 30 cts. n.
Benguet, \$32½ n.
Benguet Exploration, 20 cts. n.
Benguet Goldfield, 20 cts. n.
Big Wedge, 12 cts. n.
Gold Creek, \$2½ n.
Gold River, 26½ cts. n.
Ipo Mining, \$4 n.
Itogons, \$7 n.
Kailan, 20/- n.
Langkats (Single), \$18½ n.
Shai Explorations, Sh. \$5 n.
Shai Loans, \$6 n.
Raub, \$14½ n.
Venz: Goldfield, \$7 n.

Docks, etc.
H.K. Wharves, \$108 b.
H.K. Docks, \$15 n.
S. China Motors A., \$2 n.
S. China Motors B., \$8 n.
Providents (old), \$1¼ n.
Providents (new), 50 cts. n.
Hongkows (old), \$32½ n.
New Engineering, Sh. \$5 n.
Shanghai Docks, \$181 n.

Cotton Mills.
Ewo Cottons, Sh. \$11.80 n.
Shai Cottons (old), Sh. \$72 n.
Shai Cottons (new), Sh. \$42 n.
Zong Sing, Sh. \$11½ n.
Wing On Textiles, Sh. \$57 n.

Lands, Hotels, etc.
H. and S. Hotels, \$5.80 b.
H.K. Lands, \$58½ b.
Shai Lands, Sh. \$26 n.
Metropolitan Lands, Sh. \$14 n.
Humphreys, \$10.60 n.
H.K. Realities, \$5.35 b.
Asia Realities "A" Sh. \$140 n.
Asia Realities "B" Sh. \$20 n.
Chinese Estates, \$82½ b.
China Realities, Sh. \$15½ n.
China Debuture, Sh. \$187 n.

Public Utilities.
Tramways, \$21¼ b.
Peak Trams (old), \$15 n.
Peak Trams (new), \$7 n.
Star Ferries (old), \$100½ b.
Yau-mai Ferries, \$21 n.
C. Lights (old), \$8.70 b.
C. Lights (new), \$8.30 b.
H.K. Electric, \$72¼ n.
Macao Electric, \$25 n.
Sandakan Lights, \$8 n.
Telephones (old), \$24¼ n.
Telephones (new), \$12 b.
China Buses, Sh. \$13.20 n.
Singapore Traction, 6/- n.
Singapore Pref., 16/10½ n.

Industrials.
Malabon Sugars, \$12 n.
Gold: Macq. (C.O.), Sh. \$21 n.
Gold: Macq. (Pref.), \$19¼ n.
Canton Ice, \$2.70 n.
Cementa (new), \$2.80 b.
H.K. Ropes, \$4¼ n.

Stores, etc.
Dairy Farms, \$26 b.
Watsons, \$5.70 n.
Der A Wings, \$1 n.
Lane Crawford, \$4.40 n.
Mackintosh, \$21 n.
Sinceres, \$9 n.
Wm. Powell, 70 cts. n.
Wing On (H.K.), \$100 n.

Miscellaneous.
Amusements, \$4 n.
H.K. Entertainments, 37½ n.
S.C. Enterprises, \$1 n.
United Theatres, Sh. \$2 n.
Macao "Greyhounds", \$2 n.
Constructions (old), \$1.55 b.
Constructions (new), 70 cts. b.
Ch. Govt. 5% 1925 G.S. Bonds, 87½% n.
H.K. Gov. 4% Loan, 8½% b.
Wallace Harpers, \$8 n.
Gov. Loan 3½% Loan, ¼% b.



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LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

LATEST SHARE QUOTATIONS

The following quotations on the London Stock Exchange have been received by Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz in conjunction with Reuters.

Chinese Bonds.

June 26.	June 27.
4½% Bonds 1898 (Eng. Iss.)	£101½ £101½
4½% Loan 1908	£ 92½ £ 92½
5% Loan 1912	£ 70 £ 70½
5% Loan 1913 (Lan. Iss.)	£ 95 £ 95½
5% Bonds 1925-47	£ 90 £ 90½
5% Shai-Nanking Rly.	£ 65 £ 65½
5% Tient-Pukow Rly.	£ 34 £ 34
5% Tient-Pukow Railway (Supl. Loan)	£ 25 £ 26
5% Shai-Ningchow Rly.	£ 98½ £ 98½
5% Honan Rly.	£ 32 £ 31½
5% Hukang Rly.	£ 37 £ 36
5% Lung Tzeng U. Rly.	£ 15½ £ 16½

Foreign Bonds and Banks.
German 7% Int. Loan 1924 64% 65%
Japan 6% Sterling Loan 1907 74 74½
Japan 6% Sterling Loan 1924 80 80
H.K. & Shai Bk. (Lan. Regd.) £131 £130½
Chartrd. Bk. £5 sh. £ 10½ £ 10½

Industrials and Breweries.
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Chinese Eng. and Min. (Bearer) 20/- 20/-
Tate and Lyle 90/4½ 90/4
Courtauld 48/0 50/1½
Distillers 90/- 90/9
Dunlop Rubber 44/10½ 44/1½
Everready 6/- 28/0 28/9
General Electric (England) 40/6 40/6
Boots 43/- 43/1½
Impl. Chem Ind. 36/1½ 36/9
Impl. Chem Ind. Def. 10/- sh. 8/9 8/10½
Impl. Tobacco 123/0 123/0
Woolworths 101/0 100/7½
Internat. Nickel no par val 25½ 25½
Pinchin Johnson 10/- sh. 40/- 40/-
Turner and Newall 47/4½ 47/0
Unilever 22/0 22/0

Miscellaneous.
Anglo-Dutch 24/3 24/3
Burma Corp. Rs. 10 12/0 12/0
Canadian Pacific Rly. 25 sh. 14½ 14½
Chartd. 15/- sh. 22/0 22/0
Gula Kalumpung Rubber 23/6 23/6
Tropen Mines 11/9 11/9
Langlangie Estates 33/- 33/-
London Tin 10/- 13/4½ 13/4½
Pew. Syn. 2/- ord. sh. 2/- 2/-
Rubber Trusts 32/7½ 32/7½
Shai Elec. Constr. 63/- 63/-
Electric Musical Industries 28/- 20/-

Oils.
Anglo-Persian Oil 40/3 40/4
Burma Oil 78/1½ 78/0
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Simla, June 27.

The recent Chinese-Burma frontier incident, when skirmishes occurred between Chinese bands and Burma police, was apparently caused by a local chief of the Pangjiong penetrating first the undemarcated zone, called Hoh-swan, and second, into undisputed British territory.

This undemarcated zone has formerly been mutually respected by both Chinese and British. When the Pangjiong penetrated westward of the undemarcated

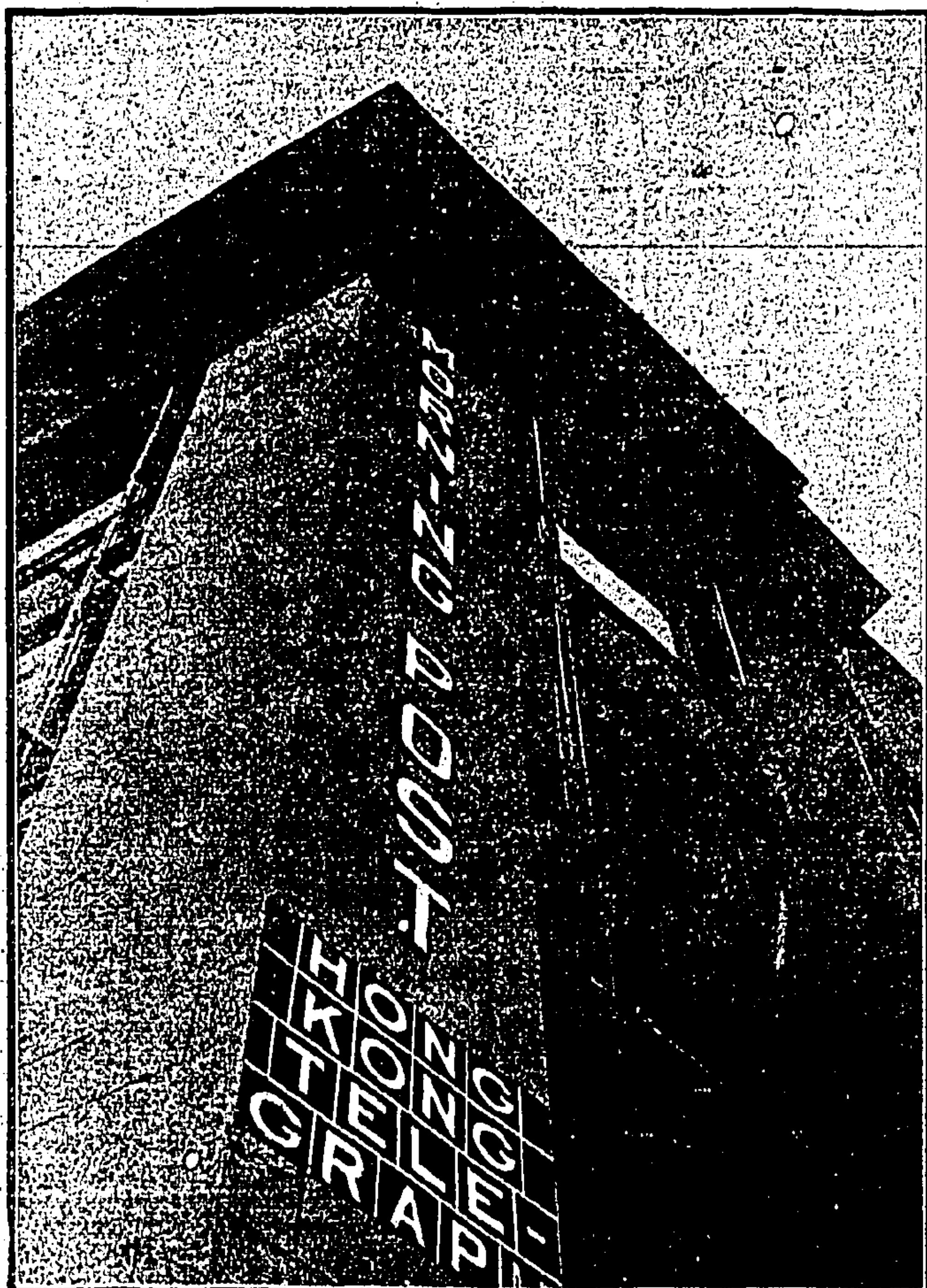
zone, and westward of the agreed frontier, he came into collision with a party of British geologists exploring under the protection of the Burma police.

Earlier reports from Chinese sources alleged that the British party had penetrated into China territory.

There were no casualties on the British side, though some of the Pangjiong band were wounded.

The Pangjiong chief is now established at Manchu, in Hoh-swan, and additional police have been despatched to protect the undisputed British territory.

Rains put a stop to any further fighting following the first clashes. —*Reuter.*



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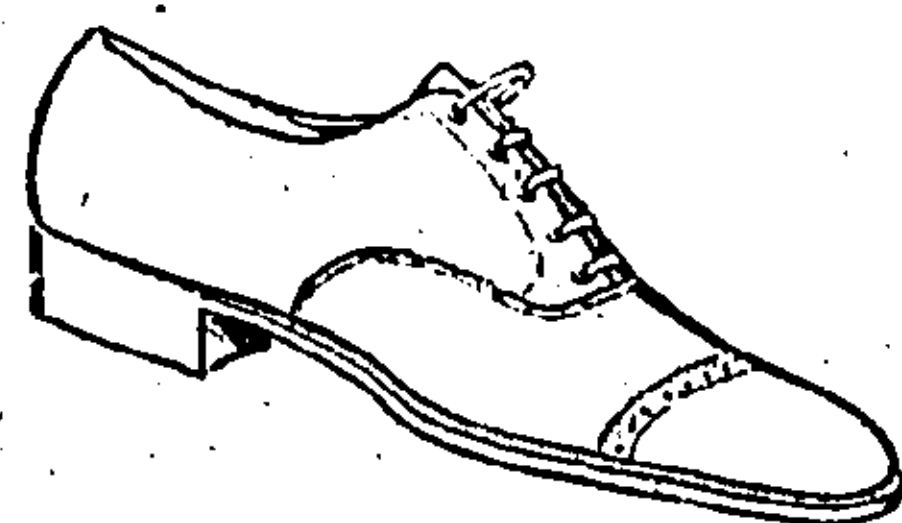
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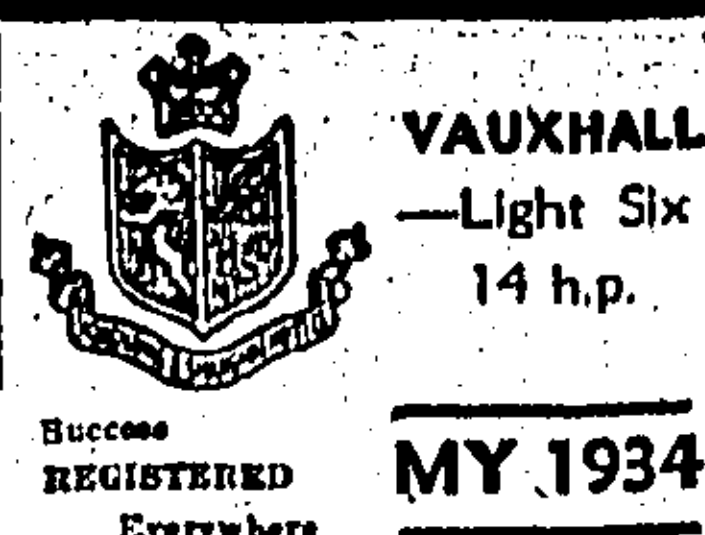
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THE COLONY'S STRAY
DOGS

No-one acquainted with the facts is likely to dispute the statement made by a correspondent yesterday that the police are faced with a difficult position in dealing with the present outbreak of rabies. If existing regulations are not adequate, there is every reason why they should be strengthened, in order to give the police lawful authority for steps considered necessary in combatting a very serious danger. The suggestion made that the Colonial Veterinary Surgeon and the Government's law officers should consult for the purpose of devising measures which can be enforced, and which hold some prospect of success, is therefore much to the point. Much of the present trouble, we are convinced, is due to the large number of stray dogs which infest the New Territories. How many of these animals there are, it would be difficult to say, but if in one district alone it was found necessary to destroy some two hundred recently, the number must be legion. According to law, all dogs within the Colony have to be licensed, although no fee is payable where it is shown to the satisfaction of the Inspector General of Police that a dog is kept by an agriculturist as a watch-dog and is necessary for that purpose. This exemption follows somewhat on the lines of the law at home, but whereas to farmers in England one or more dogs are a necessity, for the rounding-up of cattle, sheep, etc., that is not the case here in Hongkong. The point therefore suggests itself whether far too many dogs are not permitted to New Territory agriculturists. It would, indeed, be interesting to know whether any actual check is kept on the number, whether licensing is enforced, or whether the law requiring owners to establish to the satisfaction of the police the necessity of having dogs is applied. It is conceivable that if owners had to pay a licence fee for such dogs as were not strictly needed, there would be a marked diminution in the numbers on the mainland. But in addition to dogs actually owned, there must be very many, not only in the New Territories, but in Kowloon and on the island as well, which are strays. These, being in nobody's care, are obviously of a type likely to spread rabies. It would therefore be a wise plan if, along with a strengthening of the existing regulations, some definite action were taken to investigate the number of ownerless animals, with a view to their destruction as one step in the campaign against the rabies outbreak.

NOTES OF THE DAY

LOANS TO INDUSTRY

Mr. Eugene Black's announcement that the Federal Reserve Banks are now prepared to receive applications for direct loans to industry may prove to be one of the turning points in the Roosevelt recovery programme when the value of its operations is assessed. Efforts to create new primary money in the United States have not proved conspicuously successful and it is hard to say at this stage what will be the precise effect of the expansion contemplated by the use of silver. It has, however, been clearly shown that until "secondary money" becomes more widely used, until that is, there is an increase in business loans, increases in currency supplies are of little value.

BORDERLINE BUSINESS

Expert examination in the last few months has revealed clearly that "secondary money" is showing no great expansion in proportion to "primary" money. Bankers have insisted that an increase in business loans must wait upon business recovery. Business men naturally retorted that the industrial machine cannot start without financial lubrication. The case has simply been made worse by this argument and counter-argument; for, as time goes on, businesses that are starving for financial accommodation must become increasingly risky as credit propositions. That is why the Government has stepped in. Through the Reconstruction Finance Corporation, it has already strengthened the position of the banks, and now, through the proposal to make direct loans to industry, it is taking the initiative in financing borderline business. In no other way could the Gordian knot have been cut.

NOT AN INNOVATION

The scheme is no innovation. In the Hoover Administration, the Federal Reserve System was empowered to make loans direct to deserving applicants unable to obtain accommodation at the commercial banks. Little business, however, was done. Apparently the credit conditions imposed were too exacting. Another effort to clear the channels between the reservoir of idle money and the public was made when industries were required to band together in mortgage companies as a preliminary to borrowing from the Reconstruction Finance Corporation. But, except for the cotton textile industry, moves to effect such borrowing organisation seem to have been rare. For one thing, the procedure was cumbersome. For another, strict requirements as to security were not lightened. The new step is designed to relax the requirements.

WISE REFORM

There is clearly a great need for some such financing. Quite apart from the urgency of the situation, industry in the United States requires the same kind of "intermediate" banking facilities which are already available to agriculture. Banks prefer to make loans which can be liquidated at the end of the process of buying raw materials and the disposal of the finished product. Investors generally help industry to make capital improvements, and take in return, bonds with a long maturity. An intermediate credit system is necessary to fill the gap. For several years, the United States has witnessed the spectacle of a money reservoir with most of the outlet channels clogged up. If the present move is a step toward a permanent connection between the actual borrowers and the Federal Reserve System, it will be one of the wisest reforms so far initiated.

AND SILVER?

Meanwhile, the precise significance of Senator Dies' explanation of the Treasury silver policy is still puzzling observers of the market. If the statement was authoritative, it means that the Treasury is proposing to carry out the 75:25 ratio policy, requiring the purchase of over 1,245,000,000 ounces of silver, by the end of the year. President Roosevelt's message to Congress is worth recalling in this connection. He said: "We should move forward as rapidly as conditions permit in broadening the metallic base of our monetary system and in stabilizing the purchasing and debt-paying power of our money on a more equitable level. . . . we should not neglect the value of silver in improving our monetary system. Since 1929 that has been obvious. Some measures for making a greater use of silver in the public interest are appropriate for independent action by us. On others, international co-operation should be sought. Of the former class is that of increasing the proportion of silver in the abundant metallic reserves back of our paper currency." Here again, however, the question comes, Does it mean what it hints?

FEET OF CLAY:
JOHN DILLINGER

SUPER-MEN are popularly supposed to be one of the products of the great American Republic. While some of the exhibits lately on view are of doubtful authenticity it cannot be denied that at least one has given the world the super-outlaw. "Public Enemy No. 1," no John Dillinger, enjoys that unenviable reputation. The outlaws known to Europe are but feeble offshoots of crime compared to this robust "killer" with the "snake's eyes" and a murderous sense of humour, whose exploits continue to fill the newspapers and give the police many sleepless nights.

Times have indeed changed since the good old days when an outlaw might also be a gentleman.

This new type of desperado thrown up by the machine-gun age lacks manners as well as morals. He has nothing in common with the heroes of the Corsican hills or the Sicilian celebrities of the Mafia. Unlike them, he will kill a friend as readily as an enemy, if the net will ensnare his freedom when hard pressed. His flight from the law has left a trail of corpses, broken cars and riddled bank buildings.

There is no romance in him. He would be outlawed by the outlaws of the past.

The American school of crime was nearly responsible for putting the now defunct Mafia on a new basis of outlawry. A few years ago, before Mussolini sent the indomitable Cesare Mori to Sicily to break up that centuries-old organisation, it was the object of careful study by certain graduates of the gangster or cadet branch founded in Chicago.

These worthies were transplanted Sicilians or their sons who had risen in the bootlegging and racketeering games. An invidious murder forced two of them to flee the country and they were next heard of under cover in Palermo. Contact with older brethren of the Mafia there disclosed the possibilities of re-organising the old-fashioned brotherhood on Chicago lines and making it a "going concern."

They might have succeeded but for Morf's drive inland from the coast. The Mafia fell piecemeal into his net of gendarmes. It was a slow business, but wholly successful. The Chicagoans fled dismayed to the hinterland, intent only on saving their skins. When captured with their more reputable companions in outlawry they were thankful to be extradited to the comparative safety of the Chicago courts. The others were put in cages.

I saw some of them months later at their trial in a market town, where the peasants had gathered from miles around to stare at their late masters. They were a dejected lot without their haloes.

The American outlaw has always been in a class alone. Jesse James, the train robber, was the first spectacular member of the fraternity to become a national figure. His rough-riders, with sheriffs and their posies lagging impotently behind, swept through the sparsely settled Western States, holding up railway cars laden with specie, snatching the terrified passengers to their last gold watch, shooting down every human impediment in their path, and vanishing again to one of their

remote hiding-places far beyond reach of their pursuers.

Jesse James had his imitators, but none achieved such notoriety or was such a distinctive figure. His escapades entered the realm of fiction before the end came. Six-penny "shockers" emblazoned with a lurid portrait of the outlaw, complete with wide brimmed hat and a brace of six-shooters, flooded the United States and were read with fearful joy by the rising generation. Other outlaws of the plains followed him into cheap literature. The brotherhood had its monument in the paper-backed novels of the day.

The machine-gun age has sent the old-time outlaw into oblivion. His technique seems curiously crude in the light of modern methods. The outlaw of to-day dares not to hide himself in a wilderness. He challenges society from an armoured car and cities are his prey. Gas bombs, chain mail, vestcoats, wireless, swift-off shotguns and automatic pistols are his tools of trade. His progress has been speeded up and his traditional enemy, the sheriff, still lags behind. He has been known to evade military forces as easily as a wide-slung police net and to slip through the walls of an apparently impenetrable prison with the ease of a Houdini.

Which brings us back to Public Enemy No. 1: the elusive John Dillinger, now at large with a heavy price upon his head and an ineradicable smile upon his degenerate face—Dillinger, King of the Outlaws. His charmed life is a nightmare to the distraught guardians of the peace in every Western State. A fugitive convict, he laughs at prison bars, and his movements have a sinister ring. Even his pursuers laugh grimly when he bluffs his way out of a guarded cell with a wooden revolver and made national fools of the wardens in his path.

Dillinger's record tends to prove that outlaws are born rather than made. His life of crime was entered on voluntarily as an antidote to the boredom of the Indiana hamlet where he was born. Since he became the first outlaw of America, the incidents of his mis-spent youth have filled the newspapers and inquiring reporters have ransacked his home town for stories, as they do when a man becomes President-elect of the United States.

Public Enemy No. 1 is still "Johnny" in Mooresville, Indiana, whence he came. The 1,774 inhabitants have only to cast their memories back ten years to recall him as a 21-years-old machinist and the son of a trustee of the First Christian Church. He had an engaging grin and went to Sunday school because he had to. Bad companions were "Johnny's" downfall. His "hero" was Ed Singleton, a boy older than himself, who also had the germ of outlawry in him.

One Saturday night they waylaid an elderly grocer named Morgan on his way home from the village barber shop, beat him about the head and tried to rob him. "Johnny" for the first time used the magic formula, "Stick 'em up," Morgan.

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"Well, we can't pay anything on Billy's alimony until Irene gets a cheque from her ex-husband."

The Very Idea!
JEEJEEBOY PASSES ON

By George

"THE GOLDEN CANDAREEN."
Last Instalment

IT was a beautiful sunny day in Hongkong and apart from the Number 9 Typhoon Signal which had just been hoisted, there was nothing to mar the peaceful serenity of the great City.

Nothing, did we say?

Along the Praya came a large, gaunt woman making rapid progress by the simple expedient of lifting up her feet and dropping them a little in front of her.

As she came up to the Star Ferry she raised her rugged, heavily-lined face towards the clock and noted that it was twenty past twelve.

"A quarter past twelve," she muttered, instinctively correcting the clock.

The brightest of our readers will have conjectured by this time that the broken unlovely creature whom we have described dropping her feet all over the Praya is no other than our heroine.

Madge was on way to force Reg into a tiffin date having swallowed her pride and a tidy lot of gin in arriving at this decision.

The amah who, you will remember, incautiously flung herself at Madge's feet in our last instalment, has learnt her lesson by now and is reduced to her normal state of mind. She is supposed to be accompanying Madge but prefers to walk on the other side of the road taking a surreptitious peep into her beloved volume of Chaucer's "Early English Poems."

Arrived under the windows of the P.W.D., Madge elevated her glass eye towards the place where Jeejeebhoy's hair neatly smacked behind his ears, was leaning over a typewriter. As he murmured his dainty fingers, his clear voice carolled in song while the Director and other satellites stood admiringly at a distance.

Jeejeebhoy paused a moment to yawn, covering his hand with his mouth in the approved manner. As he did so he saw Madge.

She drew back into the shadow and tried to disguise herself as the bark of the tree. She would have stood a better chance if there had been a tree there but as it was, Jeejeebhoy had already discovered her.

Giving the Director his typewriter to hold, Reg thrust aside the lift which had been brought up for him and shinned down the stairs.

In a moment he was by her side. "Have you got it?" he whispered hoarsely into her ear which he had pulled down a couple of feet for convenience.

For answer Madge drew a quart whisky bottle from her stocking where she had kept it carefully hidden. Inside, the dreaded cockroach was imprisoned.

Jeejeebhoy reached out his hand to take the bottle but Madge with a subtle leer put it back in her stocking.

"Reggie darling, how about my reward?" Then relapsing into the vernacular, "How fashion you face so muchee red allsame father?"

It was true; Reg was blushing! Could he kiss this girl when he was promised to another was the wild thought that throbbed through his brain.

"But Madge, look you," he began, his native Welsh coming to his aid at this difficult moment, "it is no good whatever will come of this. I love another."

Madge gave a loud shriek of horror and fell in a dead faint.

Jeejeebhoy quickly removed the whisky bottle and, as an after thought, took the meat skewers out of his erstwhile sweetheart's hair and pinned the hair into the ground.

Then, hand in hand with the amah, he passed from view . . .

(Dear Readers.—This is the last of Jeejeebhoy as far as we are concerned and we must leave him and his lovely love to their troubles. Much as it pains us (and Madge) to leave her in her humiliating position we find it better to do this than leave her at large. If we had continued we might have given her a wig so that she could be free again but far be it from us to hope to improve on nature. Rather let us shed a saline tear on one so much misunderstood and deceived, and hope that in the unwritten instalments of her future life she may meet a love worthy of her noble character.)

BRITAIN'S REPLY TO U.S. WAR DEBT NOTE

PAYMENTS IN KIND HINT

PROPOSAL HELD TO BE IMPRACTICABLE

REAL CRUX OF ISSUE

Payments in kind are not practicable in present circumstances. The debt issue really resolves itself into a question of how much Britain can fairly be expected to pay. These are the principal points in Britain's new note to Washington.

The following is the text of his Majesty's Government's reply to the United States note:

"After careful consideration of the note which you addressed to Sir Ronald Lindsay on 12th June, His Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom feel that there are two questions to which it may be useful to make further reference.

In first place, His Majesty's Government would observe that in their note of the 4th they did not state that the payment of the British war debt was legally contingent upon the payment of debts due to them. What they said was that it would be impossible for them to contemplate a situation in which they would be called upon to honour in full their war obligations to others, while continuing to suspend all demands for the payment of war obligations due to them.

STATEMENT OF FACT. This was a statement not of law but of fact.

Secondly, as regards the suggestion of payments in kind, His Majesty's Government would recall that the experience of German reparations showed that the transfer of difficulties are not solved by a system of deliveries in kind.

As the Committee presided over by General Dawes pointed out in 1924, "In their financial effects, deliveries in kind are not really distinguishable from cash payments." In fact, the economic objections to cash payments would apply with equal force to deliveries in kind, unless those deliveries were to consist of indigenous products of the debtor country, excluding re-exports, and unless they were to be accepted by the creditor country and consumed by it in addition to the normal course of trade.

WILLING TO DISCUSS. If the United Kingdom were not to receive payment for goods exported on commercial account, her exchange resources available for the purchase of cotton and other goods from America would be still further diminished.

Therefore, while not unwilling to give further consideration to the possibilities in this direction, His Majesty's Government do not, at present, see any method of putting such a plan into practice which would be likely to commend itself to the Government of United States.

CRUX OF QUESTION. In the view of His Majesty's Government, the prime question for settlement is the amount that should be paid, having regard to all the circumstances of these debts.

They regret that up to the present it has not been possible to make further progress in this matter, but they will welcome an opportunity of resuming the discussion whenever it may appear that present conditions have so far passed away as to afford favourable prospects for a settlement, and they are sincerely anxious to remove from the sphere of controversy all or any matters which might disturb the harmony of relations between the two countries.—British Wireless.

KOREANS FOR MANCHURIA

BIG SETTLEMENT SCHEME

Changchun, June 28. It is learned in local official circles that the Korean Government has an ambitious plan for the mass settlement of Korean peasants in Manchuria. The plan provides for the formation of a colonisation company with a capital of ¥10,000,000, to finance an annual settlement of 100,000 Koreans in Manchuria.—Central News.

Important Naval Meeting

CONFIDENTIAL TALK IN LONDON

London, June 27. In connection with the bilateral conversation initiated by the British Government between the chief naval powers for preliminary exchanges of views in preparation for next year's Naval Conference, a full meeting was held today at the Prime Minister's room in the House of Commons between the British and United States representatives.

The Prime Minister was accompanied by Mr. Stanley Baldwin, Sir John Simon, Sir Bolton Eyres Monsell, Vice-Admiral Little and Mr. R. L. Craigie. The United States representatives were the Ambassador, Mr. Robert Bingham, Mr. Norman Davis, Rear-Admiral Leigh, and Mr. R. Atherton.

A further meeting will be held, but the date for the continuation of the discussions was not fixed.

SECRECY PRESERVED.

Mr. Baldwin, replying to a request in the Commons for a statement on the general position, said he was not prepared to give any information as to the course of the discussions, which were confidential. He said the Governments of France, Japan and Italy had also agreed to participate in bilateral conversations, and added that no decision had yet been taken as to where the 1935 Conference would be held.

A question was also asked whether definite demands for parity had been put forward by the Japanese Government, and Mr. Baldwin replied that no such demand had been received.—British Wireless.

TRAMCAR BADLY DAMAGED

IN COLLISION WITH LORRY

Extensive damage was done to the front of a west-bound tram, No. 10, when a lorry driven in the same direction came into collision with it outside the Royal Army Ordnance Corps Depot in Queen's Road East this morning.

The lorry, No. 1018, apparently attempted to overtake the tramcar, with the result its rear side mudguard struck the inside of the tram driver's cab, partly wrenching it from the front portion of the tram, and splintering the glass pane. The front stepping board was also damaged.

Several west-bound trams were held up as a result of the accident, while the damaged car was diverted to the other track, and taken back to the Company's yard.

QUIET WEDDING

MR. J. J. BASTO AND MISS O. M. BARRETTO

A quiet wedding was celebrated this morning at St. Theresa's Church, Kowloon Tong, when Miss Olivia M. Barretto, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Barretto, was married to Mr. J. J. Basto, youngest son of Mrs. J. M. Basto and the late Mr. J. M. de Castro Basto. The bridegroom is manager of the Soronha Printing Co., and the bride is a sister of Mrs. Leo D'Almada, Jr.

The bride, who was given away by her father, was attended by two bridesmaids, the Misses Ofelia Barretto and Lolita de Sousa. No invitations were issued but relatives and friends were welcome.

ANGLO-GERMAN PARLEY

"VERY FRIENDLY" ATMOSPHERE

London, June 27. The British representatives met the German delegation at the Treasury this morning to open discussions regarding the servicing of the German debt held by British holders.

Explanations were given as to the point of view of both sides, and the discussions, which were very friendly, were continued this afternoon. They are being resumed to-morrow.—British Wireless.

SOCIALISM IN NO TIME

NEW VERSION BY SIR STAFFORD CRIPPS

REALIST POLICY OF ACTION

Sir Stafford Cripps, M.P., in his presidential address to the annual conference of the National Council of the Socialist League, in Leeds, discussed the present differences within the Labour Party and the best means of obtaining the Party's ultimate objective—Socialism.

"It will not help the Party to arrive at right and wise decisions," he declared, "if we attempt to hide our differences of view. We must be prepared to reason with ourselves as well as with the other man. No body of persons within our Party, however high they may rate their own intelligence or how ever elevated they may be in the hierarchy, can successfully impose a policy upon the Party. The decision must be that of the rank and file.

"There is, I believe, no important difference within the Party as to our final objective, but it is where we come to consider the means that we should adopt to reach this objective that we find wide differences of opinion.

"We have entered upon the final stage of the struggle for democracy, either we must win through to economic freedom and economic democracy, or else find ourselves faced with the prospect of a continuing capitalism which may at any moment resort to the use of brutal methods of dictatorship.

BETWEEN TWO FIRES.

"In considering our objective," Sir Stafford Cripps proceeded, "we must be quite clear that it is Socialism, and not State Capitalism or some amorphous and indeterminate collection of ideas parading as a policy. We must reach that objective, wherever possible, by a direct route though it may be that in some particular case we shall have to take a more devious path.

"The Labour Party is definitely committed to Socialism. It is too late to withdraw; if we hesitate to go forward to a bold and decisive Socialist policy, we shall suffer the worst of both worlds. The Party will be too revolutionary to attract even the small capitalist, and too reactionary to interest those who desire change and action.

"Let us address our policy not to the nervous humanitarian, who will always finally come down on the side of capitalism, and no change; but rather to the conscious worker who will gladly respond to the inspiration of a realist policy of action.

"We must then obtain a mandate for the use of every power that exists under the Constitution with which to arm a working-class movement in the final round of the struggle for economic power."

A FIVE YEAR PLAN.

The principal task of the Conference was to discuss their recently issued statement of policy, "Forward to Socialism," described by Mr. J. F. Horrabin, who presented it, as "a first-five-year plan for a Socialist Government."

Miss Jean Thompson, on behalf of the Sheffield branch, moved the reference back of the whole document on the ground that it was mainly critical rather than constructive, and failed to create the basis of a militant spirit and will to power.

Mr. T. Howard (Rochdale), opposing the reference back, said: "If we are not very careful we may divorce ourselves from the ordinary membership of the Trade Union organisation by getting too far away from their outlook."

Mr. P. Arnold (Hendon) expressed the wish that the document had been strangled at birth. It inspired no enthusiasm; it was disappointing, unfair, vague, and loose.

Mr. W. Mellor, for the Council of the League, declared that the document was put forward in terms which the intelligentsia might not understand, but the workers would.

CAR LICENCES

RENEWAL REQUIRED BY NEXT WEEK

Registration of motor cars and drivers' licences is required to be renewed on July 1.

Several alterations, aiming at the defeat of motorists who do not know or attempt to evade the Traffic Regulations regarding registration, will be brought into force when the new licences are issued.

The disc licences supplied when the annual registration fees are paid will be altered. Owners of cars taking out licences for three months only will be supplied with a disc which has the letter "A" prominently displayed. Licences for six months will have the letter "B" and licences for nine months will have the letter "C". Where the full licence for 12 months is paid, the letter "X" will be displayed on the disc.

Usually a liberal period of grace is allowed for car owners before they need pay for re-registration. This year, however, the Police Department intend to deal stringently with car owners who do not pay registration and drivers' licence fees promptly.

In past years, the authorities have experienced difficulties in checking the weight of cars for registration purposes. Car owners are notified that when applications are made for re-registration this year the applications must be accompanied by a certificate showing the weight of the car.

CHINA TARIFF REVISION

JAPAN'S VIEWS TO BE CONSIDERED

Shanghai, June 27. On his return to Shanghai today, Mr. Ariyoshi admitted that he had submitted Japan's views to Mr. Wang in regard to the tariff problem. Mr. Wang had promised to refer his views to the Ministry of Finance for careful consideration.

Mr. Ariyoshi also said that no significance was attached to his visit to General Chiang Kai-shek at Nanking.—Central News.

JAPANESE LOAN DENIAL

CHINA NOT LOOKING THAT WAY-FOR FUNDS

Shanghai, June 28. Mr. T. V. Soong flatly denies a report, circulated by Japanese circles, that the North-west Development Company is negotiating with Japanese interests for a loan of \$30,000,000 to finance part of the economic development programme. He said that the Company would never depend on Japanese financial aid for carrying out its projects.—Central News.

Curiosity to see how a fire could be started nearly cost Au Lo-hing his life, yesterday, when he experimented with a heap of paper which he previously soaked in kerosene. The fire caused, Au to be severely burnt, and he was admitted to hospital suffering also from shock.

The new Wanchai children's playground on the Praya East Reclamation, the biggest in the Colony, and the first, it is hoped, of many, is to be opened with ceremony. The Hon. Colonial Secretary, Sir Thomas Southern, will perform the function on Wednesday, July 11, at 5.15 p.m.

going to have new "gaffers" instead of becoming their own "gaffers."

"EXCLUSIVE" SCHOOLS.

At the suggestion of Sir Charles Trevelyan, a former Minister of Education, the League agreed to the withdrawal for revoking of a resolution calling for the abolition of exclusive schools, and the creation of a comprehensive free State educational system.

Sir Charles said he assumed that the resolution referred to the abolition of the exclusiveness of Eton and Harrow. "That is a very good thing," he added. "I was, unfortunately, educated at one of them, but the last thing I want to see is the perpetuation of the Public Schools of England and their temper."

"The way in which, in all probability, we are going to get rid of most of the evils of the Public Schools is by building hundreds of schools for the rest of the community which will put Eton and Harrow into insignificance."

Sir Charles stated that what he wanted was classless education, for the biggest curse of our society was its division into classes.

RADIO BROADCAST

TO-DAY'S BROADCAST.

CHINESE STUDIO CONCERT FOR THIS EVENING

From ZBW on a wavelength of 355 metres.

6-5 p.m. European Programme.

6-5.30 p.m. From the Studio.

A Recital by Professor, S. Maki-zoff's Junior Pupils.

6.30-7 p.m. A Relay of the Hong-kong Hotel Dance Orchestra from the Hong-kong Hotel Roof Garden.

7-7.45 p.m. A Concert.

Song—I Love Thee (Grieg).

Eva Turner (Soprano).

Violin Solo—Thais-Meditation (Massenet).

Violin Solo—Le Coq D'or—Hymn to the Sun (Rimsky-Korsakov).

Mitscha Elman.

Vocal Duet—The Swing Song (Veronique) (Messager).

Winnie Melville and Derek Oldham.

Pianoforte Solo—Andante and Rondo X Capriccioso (Mendelssohn).

Irene Scharrer.

Song—Thou'rt Passing Hence (Sullivan).

Song—Follow me 'ome (Ward Hillyer).

Peter Dawson (Bass-Baritone).

Cello Solo—Spanish Dance (Aragonesa) (Cassado).

Cello Solo—Menuet (Paderowski, Op. 14 No. 1).

Gaspar Cassado.

7.45-8 p.m.

Hungarian Fantasia (Liszt).

Arthur de Greef and the Royal Albert Hall Orchestra conducted by Sir Landon Ronald.

8 p.m. Local Time and Weather Report.

8.03-10.30 p.m. Chinese Studio Concert.

10.30 p.m. Rugby Mid-day Press News.

10.35 p.m. Close Down.

ZBW Programme.

8.30-10 p.m. European Programme from ZBW on a frequency of 640 k.c's.

8.30-8.55 p.m. Band Selections from Operas.

Carmen—Selection—(Bizet) (Aldershot Command Searchlight Tattler).

Massed Bands of the Aldershot Command.

Cavalleria Rusticana—Selection (Mascagni).

Creators' Band.

Matthia—Selection (Plotow).

The Band of H.M. Coldstream Guards.

8.55-9.08 p.m. Hawaiian Music.

A Ekoki.

Hawaiian Love.

Noi Lane's Hawaiian Orchestra.

Hawaiian Stars are Gleaming.

Oh Kani.

Linn Milford and His Hawaiian Players.

9.08-9.43 p.m. Musical Comedy.

Vocal Gens—Music in the Air.

Light Opera Company.

Selection—Folly to be Wise.

Selection—Blue Roses.

New Mayfair Orchestra.

Vocal Gens—Erik Charell's "White Horse Inn."

Light Opera Company.

Selection—Tell Her the Truth.

New Mayfair Orchestra.

9.43-10 p.m. Concert Waltzes.

Roses of the South (J. Strauss).

Bruno Walter Conducting the Berlin Philharmonic Orchestra.

Tales from the Vienna Woods (Strauss).

Blue Gobe (Strauss).

Philadelphia Symphony Orchestra directed by Leopold Stokowski.

10 p.m. Close Down.

EXCHANGE RATES

	June 26.	June 27.
Paris.....	76.11/32	76.15/32
Geneva.....	15.46	15.51
Berlin.....	12.80 1/2	12.85 1/2
Helsinki.....	22.63	22.84
Oulu.....	10.00 1/2	10.00 1/2
Athens.....	525	527
Milan.....	58 1/2	58.16/16
Buenos Aires.....	30 1/2	30 1/2
Shanghai.....	1/4 1/2	1/4 1/2
New York.....	5.03 1/2	5.04 1/2
Amsterdam.....	7.41 1/2	7.42 1/2
Vienna.....	27	27
Prague.....	121	121 1/2
Bucharest.....	503	503
Madrid.....	30.13/16	30 1/2
Hongkong.....	1/5	21.67 1/2
Rio.....	21.53	21.53 1/2
Stockholm.....	19.40	19.40
Copenhagen.....	22.30 1/2	22.30 1/2
Lisbon.....	110	110
Bombay.....	1/63/64	1/63/64
Yokohama.....	1/24	1/24
Montevideo.....	38 1/2	38 1/2
Bolgrad.....	221	221
Montreal.....	4.93 1/2	4.98 1/2
Silver (spot).....	20.5/10	20.7/10
Silver (forward).....	20 1/2	20 1/2
War Loan.....	103.1/16	103.3/16

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BUNNY AUSTIN STILL WINNING IN STRAIGHT SETS

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E. D. ANDREWS VICTIM TO GERMAN ACE

American Women Achieve Successes

BRITISH WIGHTMAN CUP PLAYER LOSES IN SECOND ROUND

(Special to "Telegraph")

London, June 27.

Rain marred the progress of the Wimbledon tennis programme to-day, nevertheless several important matches were concluded, with results generally in accordance with form and expectations. Honours were fairly evenly divided among the nations officially represented at the meeting. Britain, America, Australia and Germany all gained successes. France was the chief sufferer, losing their best singles exponent and No. 2 lady player.

H. W. Austin continued his triumphant path of straight-set victories. This time Don Turnbull was the victim, the Englishman winning 6-1, 6-4, 6-3. Austin played perfect tennis, exploiting his wide repertoire of strokes to outplay the Australian.

It is of interest to recall that on the Riviera during last Spring, Austin was predicted to go through Wimbledon without the loss of a set. He has so far justified this bold claim in the first three rounds.

ANDREWS OUT.

E. D. Andrews, whose fortunes are interestingly watched in Hongkong owing to the Colony's close association with the New Zealand player, was unlucky enough to run up against Von Cramm, the German ace in the third round, and was beaten in three straight sets. Andrews won but nine games.

Von Cramm, conqueror of Jack Crawford in the French championship, was in irresistible form, and remained in the ascendant throughout the game.

The best achievement, and the biggest surprise of the day was the victory of Harry Hopman of Australia over Andre Merlin, France's successor to Cochet. Merlin found Hopman at his best.

Two of the American Wightman Cup team scored victories in the second round of the women's singles. One was at the expense of a French player and the other an English girl.

Miss Babcock overcame Mlle. Colette Rosambert, who failed to touch the same form by which she

beat Miss Freda James and Fr. Aussem in the French championship last year. Miss Sarah Palfrey was the other leading American to win through into the second round. She came up against Miss Dearman, this year's member of the English Wightman Cup outfit.

MISS HARTIGAN DOING WELL.

Miss Joan Hartigan, Australian lady champion went another step forward in beating Miss Baumgarten of Hungary. Miss Hartigan, successor to Mrs. Crawford as Australia's best singles player, played clever tennis and her prospects are regarded as being excellent.

The day's leading results were:

MEN'S SINGLES

Third Round

H. W. Austin (Britain) beat D. B. Turnbull (Australia) 6-1, 6-4, 6-3.
C. Von Cramm (Germany) beat E. D. Andrews (New Zealand) 6-1, 6-4, 6-4.
H. Hopman (Australia) beat A. Merlin (France).

WOMEN'S SINGLES

Second Round

Miss C. Babcock (America) beat Mlle. C. Rosambert (France).
Miss Joan Hartigan (Australia) beat Miss Baumgarten (Hungary).
Miss Sarah Palfrey (America) beat Miss E. M. Dearman (Britain).—*Reuter*.



Three members of the American women's tennis team now competing at Wimbledon. Reading from left to right: Miss Josephine Cruikshank, Miss Alice Marble and Miss C. Babcock. Miss Babcock was a winner yesterday.

TO-DAY'S TENNIS DOUBTFUL SUN MAY DRY UP THE COURTS

(By "Veritas")

Even with this morning's sunshine, the possibilities of to-day's "B" Division tennis league programme being fulfilled appear somewhat remote.

Most grounds are saturated by the heavy rains of yesterday and overnight, and decisions regarding the fitness of courts will generally not be made until 11:30 a.m.

An interesting programme is scheduled, and includes the visit of the Kowloon Cricket Club to Causeway Bay, where they will be entertained by the Chinese Recreation Club.

C.R.C. MATCH OFF.

COURTS UNFIT FOR PLAY.

Late this morning, the C.R.C. announced that their courts had been rendered unfit for play by the rain, and the match with the Kowloon Cricket Club is therefore postponed.

If the match is played, the C.R.C. are likely to retain their unbeaten record. The K.C.C. are making one change from the team which beat the I.R.C. F. Zimmern replaces R. S. Capell, who is captain of the "C" Division team. Zimmern will partner Stapleton.

The Recreation Club look forward to a win at the expense of the Indian Recreation Club, and the Graduates will probably be successful against the Hongkong Cricket Club. The University and South China engagement at Pokfulam is of interest with the odds slightly in favour of the Varsity. The scheduled programme is:

H.K.U.T. v S.C.A.A.
C.R.C. v K.C.C.
Recreation v I.R.C.
H.K.C.C. v Graduates.

THREAT TO GIANTS

CARDINALS AND CUBS IMPROVE

YANKEES RETAIN LONG LEAD

New York, June 27.

Chicago Cubs and St. Louis Cardinals further strengthened their challenge to New York Giants for the leadership of the National League to-day, when the Cubs beat Brooklyn Dodgers, and the Cardinals nosed out the Giants.

The Yankees maintained their clear lead at the head of the American League, thanks to a nose out against Chicago White Sox.

Cleveland Indians found Henry Johnson's pitching too accurate and were blanked out against Boston Red Sox. Two matches were called off on account of rain.

Latest results as received from *Reuter* follow.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

	R	H	E
Cleveland	0	3	0
(Henry Johnson pitched)			
Boston	6	7	1
Chicago	7	12	1
(Simmons homered)			
New York	8	16	0

(Ruth and Chapman homered. There were eleven innings.)
The St. Louis v Washington and Detroit v Philadelphia matches were postponed on account of rain.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

	R	H	E
Philadelphia	1	7	0
Pittsburgh	4	9	0
Brooklyn	1	6	3
(Cuyler homered)			
Boston	8	11	0
(Berger homered)			
Cincinnati	4	7	3
New York	7	12	3
(Schumacher homered)			
St. Louis	8	9	2
(Delancey homered)			

HANDS OFF THE NEW DAVIS CUP SCHEME

OFFICIAL L.T.A. ORGAN EXPLAINS THE TRUE POSITION

EXISTING METHOD ONLY WAY TO SOLVE PROBLEMS

In a carefully analytical article on the problems associated with the running of the Davis Cup, a recent issue of *Lawn Tennis and Badminton*, refers to the criticism levelled at the new system applied to the competition, claiming that any attempt to revert to the old methods cannot do any good, and that the alternative to the existing scheme—a biennial competition, also has its drawbacks. The article, which follows, calls for the complaining countries, to keep their hands off the new methods of conducting the Davis Cup.

The present method of organising the competition for the Davis Cup in Europe will become the object of discussion if not controversy at the meeting of the Davis Cup Council which will be held in London on July 31 when a proposal for its abolition will be submitted.

The scheme was devised with a view to relieving the congestion caused by the great number of challenging nations. It involved the institution of a qualifying competition for all European nations with the exception of European semi-finalists in the competition of the preceding year. The nations eligible to compete in the following year were to consist of the semi-finalists referred to above, the four European nations which reached the semi-final stage of the preliminary competition, any nations from countries outside Europe which desired to compete, and the defeated champion nation, if European.

SCHEME IN DISFAVOUR.

The scheme, although readily accepted by a large majority of the nations fell into disfavour before it received a trial and an effort was made to abolish it before it was introduced last year. Various reasons were advanced for this change of front. The weaker nations disliked the idea of being deprived of the chance of meeting great teams from overseas, the stronger nations hated the idea of having to qualify owing to the loss of prestige involved, and most of them objected to playing their ties in the summer months, because it interfered with their friendly matches and prevented their players from indulging in holiday tournaments.

These objections were not shared by the nations situated in the North of Europe, because the vital point to them was that the new scheme enabled a start to be made at a much later date in the spring, when their outside courts were less likely to be put out of action by frost and snow.

Overseas nations are also vitally interested because their players can leave home at a later date, thereby saving expense and minimising, to some extent, the strain and fatigue which are inseparable from long absences from their homes.

In spite of protests from a large number of European nations, the preliminary competition was held during the month of July and August last, and so far as one can learn, no particular difficulties were encountered. Austria, Germany, Italy and Switzerland qualified, and duly delivered their challenges. Czechoslovakia came in as the surviving semi-finalist of the previous competition. France came in as the defeated champion nation, and challenges were received from Australia, Japan, India and New Zealand, a total of ten as compared with the 21 challenges of 1933.

PRINCIPAL ADVANTAGE.

The principal advantage of the scheme now becomes apparent. One round less will be played and this is a permanent benefit, because it is in the highest degree unlikely under the present scheme that the nations qualified to

compete will ever exceed 16 in number.

On referring to the programme of ties, it will be seen that six of the ten nations engaged which competed last year will play their first ties four or five weeks later, two others will play a fortnight later. The two remaining nations are New Zealand, which did not compete last year, and France.

In 1933, 16 nations had to play their first round ties by May 9. The eight winners had to finish their second round ties and eight other nations had to complete their first matches by May 27, whereas this year only four nations were engaged before May 20 (the corresponding date this year).

What are the alternatives? Either a return to the old method, which everybody agreed must be altered, or the adoption of a biennial competition which would mean congestion once every two years instead of every year. There are disadvantages in the biennial proposal; a nation might be able to nominate a team with a good chance of success in the year in which the competition is not held and be unable for some reason or another to do so in the following year. Moreover, intermittency would go far to destroy interest in the competition. The smaller European nations prefer to compete every year, not with any hope of success, but with an eye to gate-money which puts them into a position to improve their grounds or to send their players abroad to

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THE HOME-RUN PARADE

Rob-Johnson Shows The Way

New York, June 21.

The 1934 home-run race in the major league baseball circles was today evolving into one of the closest sprints in the history of the big-time circuits, and all because of the new lively ball now in use.

Leading the circuit-swat parade today was youthful Rob Johnson of the Athletics. Connie Mack's aggregation of ball players, whose sole claim to fame prior to this year was that in 1933 he equalled the American League record for most runs per game, tallying five.

Rob has blasted 21 homers out so far this season and from all indications stands an excellent chance of finishing ahead of the rest of the pack in blasting out the most four-masters this year.

Next in line to Johnson are the two outstanding home-run heroes of the present age. Four, Zeke Bonura of the White Sox; Lou Gehrig of the Yankees; Mel Ott of the Giants and Chuck Klein of the Cubs, are tied for second place honours with seventeen round-trippers apiece. Jimmy Fox, last year's outstanding batsman, by virtue of today's circuit smash went into sixth place with sixteen homers so far this season.

With the exception of Babe Ruth with 10 and Hal Torsky of the Indians, also with ten; Johnson, Bonura, Gehrig, Ott and Klein are way out in front.



O'Reilly.

O'REILLY'S FEAT

NINE WICKETS IN INNINGS

ROUTS SOMERSET BATSMEN

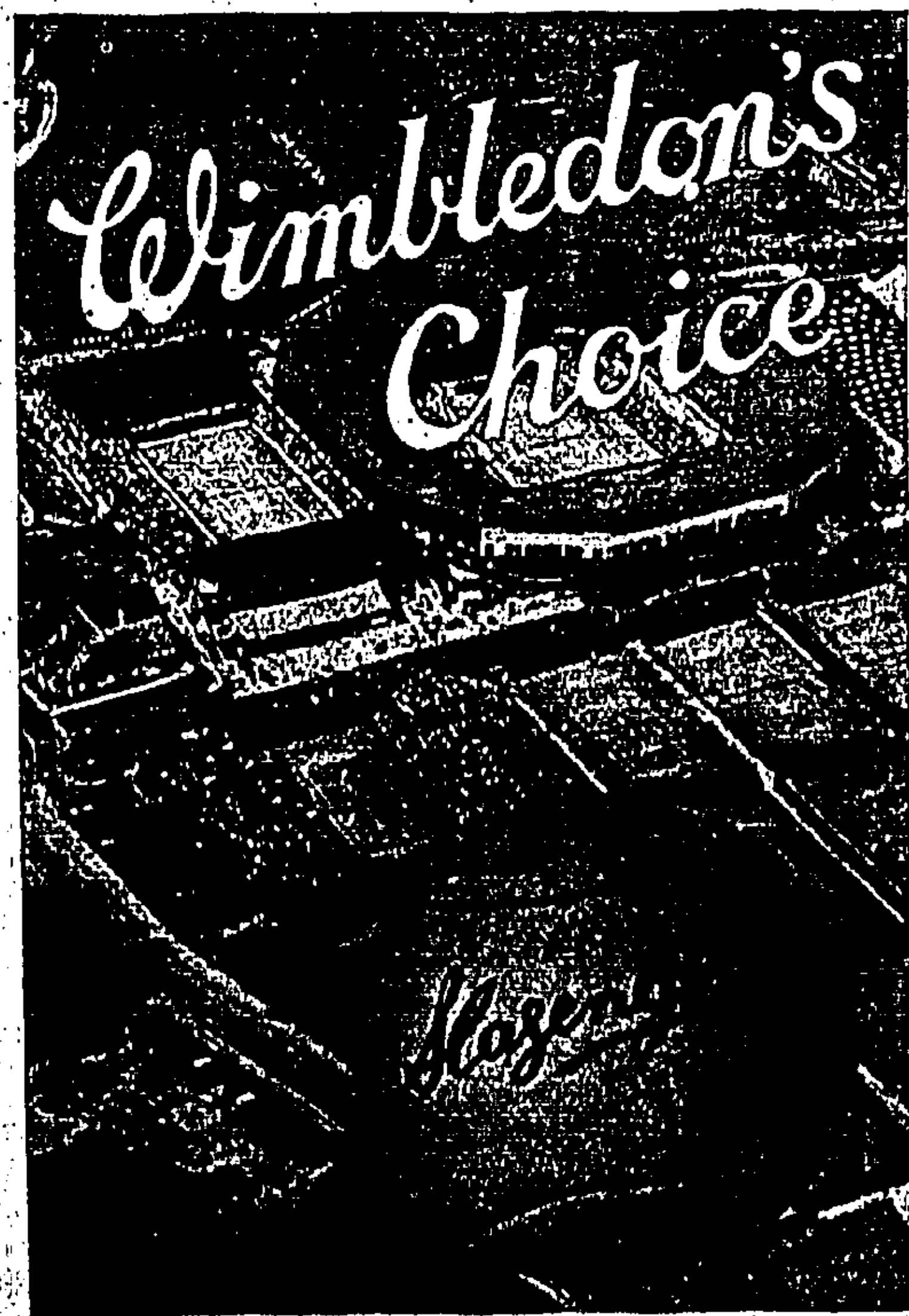
London, June 27.

Overshadowing everything in the day's cricket at Tauton, where the Australians are being entertained by Somerset, was the bowling of O'Reilly, who had the "Cider-Apples" men completely bewildered.

Bowling with rare skill and cunning, O'Reilly captured nine wickets for 38 runs in a masterly effort. O'Reilly had very hard luck in missing the achievement of taking all ten wickets in an innings, a performance which has only been accomplished by three Australians while playing in England. They were W. P. Howell, Arthur Mailey and Charlie Grimmett.

As a result of O'Reilly's bowling, Somerset, who batted first to-day, were dismissed for 116. Only one batsman was able to hit the bowling, F. Lee carrying his bat for 69.

The Australians quickly established a useful lead, the close finding them with 148 for two wickets. Woodful, indulging in his customary can-can game, remained undefeated with 60 to his credit, and Darling was also not out with 62.—*Reuter*.



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Willard's Son Not A Prize-fighter

BUT IS CHAMPION HURDLER

Glendale, Calif., June 21.
The squared circle today holds no charms for Jess Willard, Jr., 20-year-old son of the former heavy-weight champion of the world.

Right now, he's interested in track and plans to take up coaching for a career. He is one of the best, incidentally, hurdlers, in California's junior college ranks.

Young Jess is a chip off the old block. He stands 6 feet, 1 inch— and weighs 190. And he's still growing. His famous dad tipped the beams at 240 pounds in his fiftieth prime and stood 6-6 and ½ feet tall.

"I'm not at all interested in prize-fighting," says young Jess. "I think there are better ways of earning a living without having your nose mashed and you are unshed."

"Yes, and I'm not at all certain that Dad would approve if I should suddenly tell him I'd decided to enter the ring."

"He's never encouraged me in any way or manner to put on the gloves. In fact, he has never filled me with glorified tales of his triumph."

Competing for Glendale Junior college, Willard took three first places in a record meet. He won both hurdle events and the broad jump. And in a junior-college all-star meet, he also shone in the high jump.



A spectacular turf contest that furnished a crowd of 20,000 not only with thrills but drama and tragedy as well was the running of the 41st Metropolitan Handicap at Belmont Park, Long Island, pictured here at its conclusion. Edgemoor, shown leading Mr. Knappe, beat the pole by three lengths was disqualified for fouling, giving the victory to the latter. Disaster entered the picture when Chase MacAn herefore undefeated five-year-old gelding, broke his leg while making a strong bid for first place, and had to be despatched.

SCHMELING WILL NEVER FIGHT IN SPANISH RING AGAIN

Complete Disillusionment For German Boxer

Barcelona, June 21. Max Schmeling never again will fight in a Spanish ring no matter how attractive the purse offered. So he asserts and his redoubtable manager Joe Jacobs echoes the assertion in terms too pink for publication.

The pair arrived at this conclusion after the 12-round match with Uzcudun here May 13 was declared a draw—a decision which even many of the pro-Paolinolites had to admit was somewhat in the line of a bit of charity to their favourite.

Schmeling cut the rugged Basque to pieces with forking lefts, and in the opinion of most of those present won at least eight of the 12 gory rounds.

But it was not only the decision which riled Mr. Jacobs and his protegee. Things seemed to go badly for them almost from the minute they put foot on Spanish soil to the time they stepped off it. Shortly after arriving Schmeling and one of his sparring partners had their wallets lifted by pickpockets. Jacobs demanded police protection. The chief of police smilingly refused.

"It would look like we weren't honest in Barcelona," he said. Then the fight, originally scheduled for April 8, was suddenly postponed by the promoters. They announced Schmeling had hurt his hand.

Those supposed to know suggested that a poor advance ticket sale and not an injury to Max had prompted the postponement. Afterwards Max shrugged meaningfully when this suggestion was passed along to him for verification.

However that be, the "great static circus" featuring 35 boxing matches with three rings simultaneously active, certainly was not a financial success when it finally was staged.

The big Montjuich stadium, with 20,000 arena seats supplementing the ordinary 90,000 capacity, was only about one third filled despite the lure of an all-day picnic for a single admission.

The postponement boosted Schmeling's training camp expenses and according to Jacobs, more than \$12,000 of the \$22,000 finally paid Max as his cut of the gate went on the red side of the ledger.

But the climax, in Jacobs' opinion, came after Schmeling had taken a plane for Munich.

Jacobs took the afternoon train for France, waving good-bye to friends at the station. Ten hours later he was back in Barcelona, under arrest for an alleged attempt to evade the government tax on Schmeling's end of the purse.

He had been taken off the train at the frontier town of Port-Bou after co-promoter Joaquin Gasa had a warrant served by telegraph charging fraud, and his passport was taken from him. Hoping mad, Jacobs phoned Gasa. He told him he had paid Gasa's partner, Daniel Straus, 5,000 pesetas which, he said, Straus gave him to understand covered his obligations.

Gasa conferred with Straus, informed Jacobs Straus did not recall receiving any 5,000 pesetas, and under the circumstances it would be necessary for Jacobs to come back to Barcelona to answer the fraud charges.

Jacobs, after debating the advisability of calling President Roosevelt, or the state department, or something, finally persuaded Gasa to get the Barcelona police to come after him that night by automobile, to avoid a day or two in the Port-Bou commissary.

Early the next morning he arrived back here, was tossed from one magistrate's jurisdiction to another. He arrived at the Palace of Justice about noon after the matter of jurisdiction was straitened out. It developed that this particular judge was out for lunch and didn't intend coming back that afternoon. Perhaps the next day, or the next.

Mr. Jacobs' blood pressure, consistently above sea-level reached all-time altitudes. When apoplexy seemed imminent, someone suggested Consul Claude Dawson be consulted. Consul Dawson hurried down, a witness was found who swore he had seen Jacobs hand over the money to Straus, and Jacobs was released with apologies.

"Uzcudun wants a return match—well I give it to him anytime he wants," Jacobs yelled as he boarded a plane for another trip to the frontier. "In the Sahara desert, in Long Island Sound, in the middle of Siberia, but you can take it from me it will never be in Spain. Adios, amigos!"

SCHOOL ATHLETICS

WAH YAN COLLEGE WINS

SAI NAM SECOND

The final results of the Inter-School Athletic Meet were announced yesterday and show Wah Yan College well ahead in the boys' section in the land events, Wah Yan won the "A" and "B" grades, and in the aquatic events reached second place in the "B" grade. They also won the combined land and water championship with a grand total of 163 points. Sai Nam College came second with 110 points. The results are given below:

Land Sports Championship.
"A" Grade—Wah Yan College (70 points).
"B" Grade—Wah Yan College (43 points).
"C" Grade—King's College (40 points).
"D" Grade—Sai Nam College (28 points).
"E" Grade—South China P.S. (23 points).

Relay Championship.
"A" Grade—Wah Yan.
"B" Grade—Wah Yan.
"C" Grade—Ling Nam.
"D" Grade—Sai Nam.
"E" Grade—Pui Ching.
Water Sports Championship.
"A" Grade—King's College (32 points).
"B" Grade—King's College (20 points).
"C" Grade—Pui Ching (13 points).
"D" Grade—South China P.S. (10 points).
"E" Grade—South China P.S. (11 points).

Land and Water Sports Championship (combined).—1, Wah Yan, 163 points; 2, Sai Nam, 110 points.

Girls' Section.
In the Girls' section, Sai Nam secured first place with a total of 150 points.
Land Sports Championship.
"A" Grade—Sai Nam (70 points).
"B" Grade—Sai Nam (36 points).
"C" Grade—Ling Tung (17 points).
"D" Grade—Pok Oi (15 points).
Water Sports Championship.
"A" Grade—Tsun To (5 points).
"B" Grade—Sai Nam (6 points).

Land and Water Sports Championship (Combined).—1, Sai Nam, 150 points.

LOCAL SWIMMING

Satisfactory Exhibition By Japanese Team

At a Council meeting of the Hongkong International Amateur Swimming Association last evening it was announced that a credit balance of approximately \$80 was made in connection with the recent exhibition given at the Y.M.C.A. by the Japanese Olympic champions.

Mr. Wong Kam-yin, in the absence of Mr. Y. K. Mok, presided over the meeting.

It was mentioned that souvenirs were presented to all the Japanese swimmers with the exception of Reizo Koike, who, it was then thought, had broken the breast stroke record. It was decided that a special souvenir be purchased and sent to him. However, it was now doubtful whether the record has been broken as newspapers received by the Association from Australia showed that the record was 2 mins. 25.3/5 sec. whereas Koike's time was 2 mins. 28.2/5 sec.

It was decided by the meeting that a souvenir be sent to Koike who had at any rate established a Far Eastern record.

A message from the Japanese was received by the Association expressing appreciation to the V.R.C., the Association and various other bodies in Hongkong for the work done in connection with their stay and the facilities provided by the Y.M.C.A. for training prior to their visit to Manila, where they had carried off the championship.

Messrs. R. Goldman and A. G. Donn were elected to serve on the Water Polo League sub-committee and it was announced that the Chinese Bathing Club, Y.M.C.A., Navy, University, South China and Young Companions would most probably be the entries for the League.

The following members were elected to serve on the Finance Committee: Messrs. Wong Kam-yin and E. F. Sell.

Mr. Donn announced that the Association's finances showed a credit balance of \$461.85.

Before the meeting closed Mr. Goldman proposed a vote of thanks to Mr. E. F. Sell and other members of the Y.M.C.A. for the work they put in to make the visit of the Japanese swimmers a success.

SON OF DAVIS CUP DONOR TAKES BRIDE



In a brilliant ceremony attended by prominent figures in political, social and international tennis circles, Miss Dorothea E. Gay, of New York, became the bride of Dwight F. Davis, Jr., only son of the former Secretary of War, Governor General of the Philippines and donor of the Davis tennis cup. The couple are shown leaving the Church of the Resurrection in New York following the nuptials.

HOW YALE WON BOAT RACE

HARVARD LOSE BY FIVE LENGTHS

PRESIDENT'S SON ROWS

New London, Conn., June 22. With President and Mrs. Roosevelt among the spectators, Yale's varsity crew trounced Harvard by five lengths in their annual race on the Thames river here today, and the Yale freshmen and Junior varsity crews also were victorious over their rivals from Harvard, the President's alma mater.

The presence of Roosevelt in the referees' launch failed to inspire his son, Franklin, Jr., and other oarsmen of Harvard as Yale won the freshman race.

Franklin, Jr., pulled manfully in No. 6 position in the Harvard shell but the Blue crew captured the yearlings' two-mile event by three lengths in 8 minutes, 40-1/5 seconds.

Young Roosevelt, six feet four inches tall and weighing 180 pounds, was the powerhouse of his boat. He was completely rowed out at the finish. The President himself seemed to have a marvellous time at the classic, remarking to reporters that the races were "awfully good."

The varsity event, the seventy-second regatta of the two famous institutions, got started late in the day, as dusk fell. The usual crowd of many thousands witnessed it, trailing the tugging oarsmen in launches, crowding around the finish line, and following the shells in observation trains on the shore.

CLOSE RACE FOR 3 1/2 MILES.

Harvard made a close race of it for three and a half miles but at that point Johnny Jackson, of New Haven, the Yale stroke, increased the beat to nearly 40 strokes a minute and the Ells pulled steadily away while Harvard splashed badly.

At the finish the Harvard stroke, Sam Drury, of Boston, collapsed, but quickly recovered.

The Yale crew was slightly favoured in advance to capture the honours. The crowd was estimated as the largest in the history of the classic. The weather was perfect.

Yale's time for the four miles was 19 minutes and 51 seconds, a new downstream course record. The previous record of 20 minutes, two seconds, was made by Harvard in 1916.

The victory for the Blue over the Crimson increased Yale's margin to 33 victories to 22 for Harvard since 1876.

President Roosevelt saw the finish of the varsity race, as the two previous contests, from the referees' launch.

LAWN BOWLS

Pairs Championship Match Postponed

The third round tie between E. G. Post and G. Perkins, of the Police and F. J. Jones and A. W. Grimmitt, of the Civil Service C.C. in the Pairs Championship, which was to have been played on the Club de Recreolo green yesterday, did not take place. Post and Perkins turned up for the game, but Grimmitt and Jones were absent.

HANDS OFF THE NEW DAVIS CUP SCHEME

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Wimbledon, France or even further afield.

Enough has been said to show that a return to the old system would be unsatisfactory, for congestion is likely to increase in the future, in which connection it may be pointed out that Estonia has emerged as a new European challenger, and that the biennial proposal does not provide a solution that is either complete or satisfactory.

It is to be hoped that the nations will give the new scheme a fair trial, which it has not yet had, and that they will not discard it except until some better method is devised.

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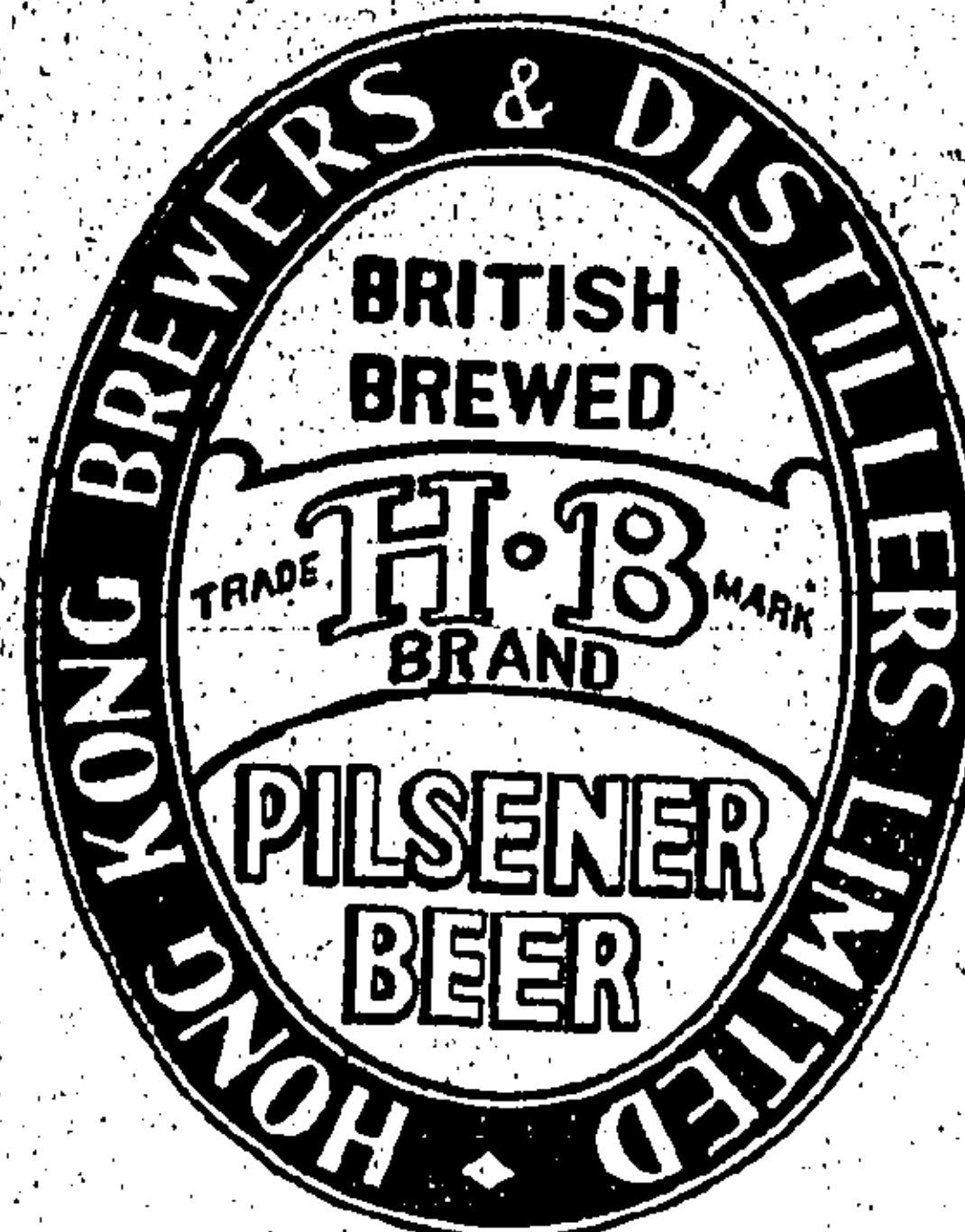
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MARRIED FLIRTS

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"Don't be so fierce, Sue," Gypsy said gently. "He said you were burning the candle at both ends."

"Hunt said that!" Sue linked her white fingers and stared out of the window at the armory opposite. "Hail! That's really funny."

"Well, I don't know," pursued Gypsy. "He said you were partying every night until the small hours and that you'd lost weight and your mother was scolding. But I didn't pay much attention to that. I know how she always worries."

"I don't know what on earth Hunt Gibson has to do with me," Sue said hotly and proudly. "It's none of his business what I do or where I go."

"Of course, of course it isn't," Gypsy said quickly. "He was only being kind. He's so fond of you."

"Fond! Indeed!"

"Well, isn't he your cousin, after all?"

"About a forty-seventh one," Sue said with emphasis.

"Well, then," Gypsy dropped another lump into her tea. She told herself she didn't know what had got into Sue, she was so queer to-day.

The other girl's breath was coming more quickly now. She was fixing Gypsy with a glittering, feverish gaze.

"Will you tell Hunt to mind his own business if he speaks of me again?"

"Sue, dear, I don't know what this is all about," the other girl began placatingly. "I'm terribly sorry."

"You ought to know," Sue said with a shrug. "You ought to be able to guess. He talks of nothing else. It's Gypsy... Gypsy..."

Gypsy's words came back to her and she flushed. What was Sue driving at and why did she look at her so accusingly?

(To Be Continued.)

CHINA'S EMISSARY.

ENTERTAINED AT ROME BY MUSSOLINI

Rome, June 27. Following the Chinese Legation dinner at Rome on June 1, Signor Mussolini to-day tendered a dinner in honour of Mr. Lu Wen-tao and Mr. Yu Fei-peng, Vice-Minister of Communications. Many leading political figures and diplomats were present at the dinner.

Mr. Yu Fei-peng is heading a mission to Italy to study civil and military communications in the country.

The Chinese leader was granted an audience with the Pope, and presented him with a silk tapestry, embroidered with birds and flowers, as an augury of peace and good fortune. The Pope discussed China affairs with him in the most cordial terms.

Mr. Fu is also studying, at first hand, the workings of the Fascist system, for which he says the Chinese have a keen admiration.—*Reuter.*

SEAT RETAINED.

CONSERVATIVE VICTORY IN BY-ELECTION

London, June 27. The Weston-Super-Mare by-election, consequent on the appointment of Lord Erskine to the Governorship of Madras, resulted in the constituency being retained by the Conservatives.

The following is the result of the poll:

L. Orr-Ewing (Cons.) 21,203
H. S. Stokes (Liberal) 7,551
A. E. Millett (Labour) 5,716

Conservative majority 13,652. In the General Elections of 1931, Lord Erskine, in a straight contest with the Labour candidate, Mr. W. B. Craig, had a clear majority of 29,350 votes.—*Reuter.*

CINEMA SCREENINGS

NOTES SUPPLIED BY THE THEATRES

A distinguished cast recruited from the leading players of both stage and screen were selected to support Ruth Chatterton in the First National picture, "Female," which opens to-day at the Queen's Theatre. George Brent, her husband, who also played with her in "The Crash," "Lilly Turner" and "The Rich Are Always With Us" has the leading masculine role. Ruth Donnelly, former stage favourite, who made an outstanding hit in "Blessed Event" and "Hard to Handle," has an important comedy role. Johnny Mack Brown and Phillip Reed, two recent recruits from the Broadway stage, play in roles of Miss Chatterton's lovers, as also does Gavin Gordon. Others in the cast are noted both for their stage and screen work and include Lois Wilson, Ferdinand Gottschalk, Rafaelo Ottiano, Sterling Holloway, Kenneth Thomson, Huey White, Douglas Dumville, Walter Walker, Charles Wilson, Edward Cooper, Spencer Charters, Jean Muir and Juliet Ware. The screen play, by Gene Markey and Kathryn Scola, has Miss Chatterton acting the part of a young and beautiful woman, head of a gigantic organization during the day, who plays fast and loose with many men after office hours. Her entire mode of life is eventually changed, however, when she falls in love with a man who will not yield to her wiles. William Dieterle directed the picture.

"Four Frightened People"

The superb showmanship of Cecil B. DeMille is once more made manifest in his latest Paramount picture, "Four Frightened People," which is now playing at the King's Theatre. This picture, which repeats the success of his memorable "Male and Female" of several years ago, is one of the most colourful pieces of screen entertainment that it has been our pleasure to see for many a month. Against a background of the most amazing jungle scenery ever brought to the screen, the story details the adventures of four highly cultured people, two women and two men, who are forced to escape from a Dutch steamer when bubonic plague breaks out. Lost for months in a Malay Jungle, they turn to primitive manners and habits. The transformation of a prim little school teacher into a beautiful jungle creature over whom the men fight provides some highly novel situations. This latter role played by Claudette Colbert is the most outstanding achievement of her career and more than justifies her elevation to stardom. Herbert Marshall and William Garwood, in contrasting roles, enhance the story with finely drawn portrayals.

"Ever in My Heart"

Barbara Stanwyck, whose latest starring vehicle for Warner Bros., "Ever in My Heart," comes to-day at the Alhambra Theatre, is supported in this picture by a notable cast of stage and screen celebrities, several of whom have been starred in their own names. Otto Kruger, who is comparatively new to pictures, has the leading masculine role. He is, however, a veteran of the New York stage—a great Broadway favourite who has starred in many productions before the footlights. Among his most notable recent successes are such pictures as "Trelawney of the Wells," "The Great Barrington" and "To the Ladies." Ralph Bellamy, Ruth Donnelly and Laura Hope Crews are all products of the Broadway stage who have been appearing in pictures the past two years. Bellamy rose to screen success with such pictures as "The Narrow Corner," "Picture Snatcher" and "Airmail." Miss Donnelly, who made her first big hit in pictures in "Blessed Event" has repeated that success in such pictures as "Female," "Fortnight in Paris" and "Bureau of Missing Persons." Miss Crews is noted for her stage work both in this country, in England and on the Continent. She was long one of Henry Miller's famous stars and appeared in "The Silver Cord," "Mr. Timpaney," "By" and "Olympia."

Other noted stage and screen celebrities in the cast include Elizabeth Patterson, Donald Meek, Harry Beresford, Frank Albertson, Clara Blandick, Wallis Clark, Nella Walker, George Cooper, Frank Reicher, Virginia Howell, Ronnie Crosby and Florence Roberts. The screen play by Bertram Milhauser is a powerful drama based on a story by Milhauser and Doulah Marie Dix. Archie Mayo directed.

"Good Dame"

Those two dramatic screen stars, Sylvia Sydney and Fredric March, who gave such good accounts of themselves in "Merrily We Go to Hell," are together again. This time it's another Paramount picture entitled

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INVESTIGATE PACIFIC COAST STRIKE

Washington, June 27. By Executive Order issued to-day, President Roosevelt established a Labour Board, under the chairmanship of the Rev. Edward Hanna, to deal with the Longshoremen's strike on the Pacific coast.

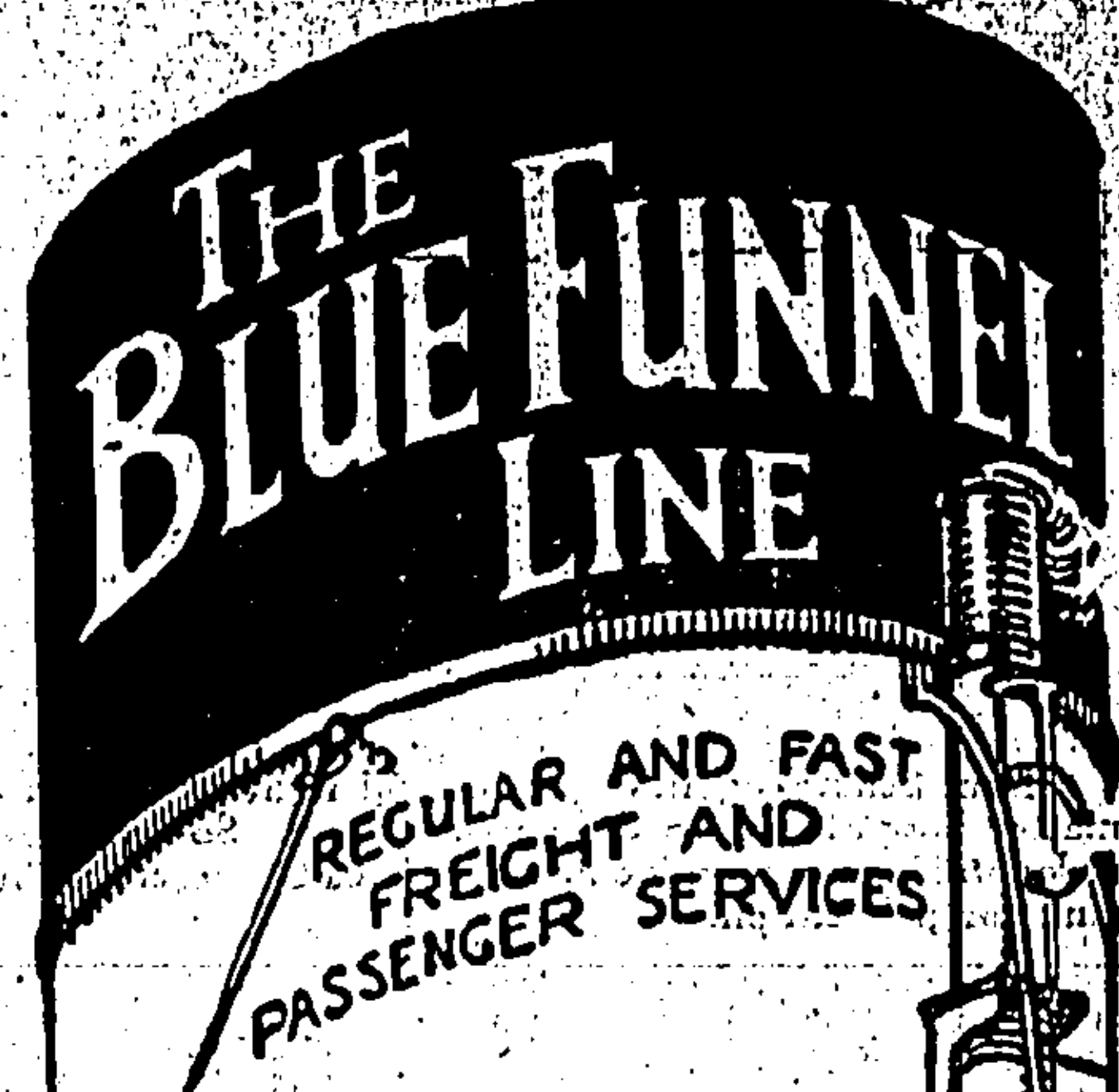
The Board is authorised to investigate all facts and issues connected with the dispute and report its findings and recommendations to President Roosevelt.—*Reuter.*

"Good Dame." It comes on Saturday to the King's Theatre. Using a colourful background, the romance of a "good" girl and a "bad" boy was written by William Lippman. Broadway playwright and for years a star columnist on the New York Herald Tribune, Marion Gering, who directed several of the Sylvia Sydney screen vehicles, also directed "Good Dame."

"Bombshell"

"Bombshell," showing at the Oriental Theatre on Friday and Saturday, is the first picture in which Jean Harlow and Lee Tracy have been co-starred. The picture is based on a play by Caroline Francke and Mack Crane. As Lola Burns, an exotic and sensational film star, the platinum-blondie is reported to have one of the most effective and entertaining characterizations of her meteoric talkie career. Lee Tracy, one of the most dynamic personalities in pictures, plays opposite Miss Harlow as her bombastic publicity director who is responsible for many of the difficulties in which she finds herself with the studio executives. A noteworthy supporting cast was gathered together for "Bombshell." Frank Morgan, Francis Tone, Pat O'Brien, Una Merkel, Ted Healy, Ivan Lebedeff, Isobel Jewell, Louise Beavers, Leonard Carey, Mary Forbes, C. Aubrey Smith, June and Brewster.

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FAR EAST POLICY

AMERICA ANXIOUS TO WORK WITH BRITAIN

London, June 27. Dr. Alfred Sze, Chinese Minister to the United States, on his arrival here to-day from Washington for his son's marriage, informed Reuters that Americans, despite pre-occupation with their internal problems, were watching the Far East most carefully and took a serious view of the region's possibilities.

Americans are anxious for close co-operation with Britain in the Far East; but the British policy seemed somewhat undecided, and many Americans feared that there was still a strong party in England favouring a renewal of the Anglo-Japanese Alliance, Dr. Sze stated.

It was impossible to exclude political questions relating to the Pacific from the 1935 Naval Conference. The question of disarmament could no more be discussed apart from politics than at the last Washington Conference, he asserted.

As Britain was inviting the Powers to the Conference, continued Dr. Sze, America could not officially suggest a programme, but he thought that unofficially they could do so.

He believed that the Conference would fully discuss the Far Eastern situation from all points of view.

America's policy in the Far East was quite unaffected by the exchange of Notes between Mr. Cordell Hull and Mr. Hirota on March 21. The important point which had escaped attention was that Japan had been trying to secure an exclusive pact with America, but America's retort had been that any pact must include all nations of the Far East: Russia and China, as well as Japan and the United States.

Dr. Sze scouted the report that America would buy 1,000,000,000 ounces of silver within the next six months. The whole control of silver purchasing was in the hands

READY TO ARM

BRITAIN PLANS EXPANSION

London, June 27. While the preliminary naval conversations here have already revealed wide differences in the views of Great Britain, United States and Japan and the chances of holding a Naval Conference in 1935 are dwindling, the British Cabinet has met and, it is understood, endorsed big Air Force and Naval budget increases and minor Army increases.

It is reliably reported that the Government will submit a Bill of supplementary estimates for the Air Force, Navy and Army some time during the Parliamentary session next week.

The presentation of this Bill to Parliament will signalize the commencement of an impressive British plan for rearmament.—United Press.

SOUND FINANCES.

GERMANY'S TAX YIELD MUCH IMPROVED

Berlin, June 27. A substantial improvement in tax yields was reported by the Secretary of the Finance Ministry in the course of a statement denying that a fresh tax would be imposed with a view to promoting German exports.

The official said that the tax yield of April and May was 120,000,000 marks above the corresponding months of 1933.

He was certain that fiscal receipts would exceed the Budget estimates by hundreds of millions of marks; and the German Government would thus be enabled to cover all fresh necessary expenditure.—Reuter.

of President Roosevelt, who would be most careful not to upset the market by sensational buying.—Our Own Correspondent.

LONDON INCREDULOUS

SILVER NEWS TREATED WITH GREAT RESERVE

London, June 27. Silver circles here are unanimously treating with the greatest reserve the messages from New York as to America's silver programme.

It is pointed out as being almost incredible that the Washington Treasury would announce its intention to purchase a huge amount of silver before the end of the year, thus encouraging speculation and forcing up the price of the metal. It is also very doubtful whether it would be possible to purchase such an amount as suggested within the period named.

It seems more likely that the Treasury will acquire silver quietly without disturbing the market, in accordance with Mr. Morgenthau's recent statement.

It is suggested that the message may have been inspired with a view to vote-catching for the Democrats at the coming election.—Reuter.

Sterling Gains

London, June 27. After prolonged activity at intervention, the British Exchange Equalisation Fund did not operate to-day and sterling strengthened of its own accord, owing to the small general demand.

It is believed in some quarters that the silver news from America, with the suggested possibilities of inflation, is causing uncertainty in the future of gold currencies, resulting in the small purchases of sterling.

The Reichsmark firmed up sharply to-day and yesterday, due to small purchases in a narrow market. The movement is out of proportion to the volume of business.

The Financial News estimates that the Exchange Fund has spent £10,000,000 out of its gold stock to support sterling since the weakness of the pound started recently.—Reuter.

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HIGHHANDED ACT BY NAVAL MEN SERIOUS INCIDENT AT HONGKEW CONSTERNATION IN SHANGHAI

SHANGHAI, JUNE 28.
A SERIOUS INTERNATIONAL INCIDENT LAST NIGHT IN WHICH TWO EUROPEAN POLICE SERGEANTS OF THE SETTLEMENT POLICE WERE DETAINED BY THE JAPANESE NAVAL AUTHORITIES AFTER A SCUFFLE IN HONGKEW, HAS GIVEN RISE TO AN ATMOSPHERE OF ACUTE TENSION.

It was not until the personal intervention of the Commissioner of Police that the release of one of the victims was secured. The other was not allowed to go until four hours later.

It is revealed that Sergeant J. W. Bellamy was twice violently attacked and beaten by Japanese civilians and a highly critical situation was only averted by his coolness when attacked.

Many Chinese and Japanese participated in the affair and it is considered remarkable that a serious explosion did not occur immediately.

SERG. BELLAMY ATTACKED BY CIVILIANS

Interference by the Japanese Naval Landing Party in Shanghai between European police officers and their duty seems to have been the cause of friction.

The Japanese Naval Landing Party which has had a permanent station in Hongkow since the Shanghai War created consternation throughout the district of Hongkow late last night when, after an argument following an incident in which a Japanese sailor struck a Chinese woman, the Japanese naval authorities detained the two British police officers, Sergeant J. W. Bellamy and Sergeant D. M. Ferguson, who went to the assistance of the woman.

THREATENING SCENE.

The Settlement Police officers were given no opportunity of getting into touch with their superiors, but were rushed off to the Japanese naval headquarters and there detained.

The street scene prior to their detention, in which many Japanese and Chinese participated, at one time promised ugly developments.

There were many scuffling incidents and Sergeant Bellamy was violently attacked, but the affair did not develop into a big-scale riot as at first seemed certain.

REVOLVER BRAWN.

Sergeant Ferguson was released shortly after midnight, after the Commissioner, Major F. W. Gerrard, has visited Japanese officials.

Sergeant Bellamy was kept at the naval headquarters until 4.30 a.m.

It is reported that the Japanese are bringing charges against Sergt. Bellamy for drawing his revolver.

CIVILIAN ATTACKERS.

It is revealed that Sergt. Bellamy had very little option. He was refused permission to use the telephone at the headquarters of the Naval Landing Party (prior to his detention) and when he tried to use the police street telephone-box, he was attacked by Japanese civilians who kicked him and struck him.

It was then that Sergeant Bellamy drew his pistol and forced his way to the telephone, but he was unable to obtain a connection.



Major F. W. Gerrard, Commissioner of the Shanghai Municipal Police.

DOWNING STREET SHOCK

PARCEL SMASHES WINDOW

CABINET MEETING DISTURBED

(Special to "Telegraph")

London, June 28.
A shock was furnished for members of the Cabinet who were meeting last night at No. 11, Downing Street, when an object was thrown through the window.

Thoughts naturally suggested a bomb when the incident occurred. Examination revealed a brown paper parcel containing a brick, and a note proclaiming: "All power to the Green Shirts."

The thrower (a mere youth) was arrested and when charged at the police-court, he said that he intended the brick for No. 10, Downing Street, the residence of the Prime Minister.

No. 11 is the official residence of the Chancellor of the Exchequer (Mr. Neville Chamberlain) and the Cabinet were gathered there for a discussion on the proposed aid for the British shipping industry.—*Reuter Special.*

SENTENCE ON MR. HARRIMAN

FOUR YEARS IN PENITENTIARY

AGED BANKER'S FALL

(Special to "Telegraph")

New York, June 27.
Mr. Joseph Wright Harriman, former president of the Harriman National Bank, one of the many victims of the 1929 stock market crash, was today sentenced to four and a half years' imprisonment in a Federal penitentiary.

He was found guilty a week ago of falsifying the books of the bank, sentence being suspended until today.

He is 67 years of age. Founder of the Harriman National Bank, he reported in December, 1932, that his resources were \$6,600,000 and the deposits \$6,000,000, but after the suspension of banking imposed by the Government early last year to cope with the financial panic, Harriman's was one of nine New York banks that were not permitted to re-open.

After an inquiry by the Public Prosecutor, he was arrested at his home where he was lying ill on a charge of falsification of accounts involving \$460,000.

On May 19 last year he escaped from a nursing home and attempted suicide at Long Island. In July, he again disappeared and it was revealed that he was twice prevented from drowning himself in the Hudson River. From that time he was kept under close arrest until his recent trial.—*United Press.*

Cold Logic In British Debt Note

BRITISH PRESS COMMENT

London, June 28.

The arguments in the British War Debt Note are generally commended by the London newspapers in their comments this morning.

The *Daily Telegraph* describes the logic of the points emphasised as unanswerable and urges that, an impasse having been reached, it is time to get down to hard facts and discuss the realities of the issue in a friendly conference.

This generally represents the views of most of the newspapers. News from Washington indicates that the British Note has been published in the American newspapers without comment by officials or Press.

Observers believe that the question of war debt payments will be suspended until Britain advances definite proposals.—*Reuter.*
(The text of the British Note will be found in Page Seven).

PREPARING FOR WORST

BRITAIN'S DEFENCE NEEDS

AIR EXPANSION PARAMOUNT

LOGICAL STEP

NEW ARMY-NAVY FINANCING

(Special to "Telegraph")

Washington, June 27.
Rumours of considerable expansion in Britain's air, land and sea forces in the near future, are the subject of considerable comment in the United States.

It is the general opinion that in the present state of worldwide political tension, the development cannot be criticised.

Unofficial reaction is strengthening that, in view of the breakdown of the general disarmament conference, the French and Italian naval increases and the Japanese demand for naval parity, the British programme calling for increased defences seems logical, even if it is disappointing.

U. S. EXAMPLE.

It is pointed out that the United States cannot complain as it parallels America's own fleet construction towards full Treaty strength with fifty new ships already authorised.

It is also presumed that the British programme is designed to strengthen her bargaining position at the preliminary naval conferences in London.

Following a meeting of the British Cabinet yesterday afternoon that members of the Diplomatic Corps heard that the plans for a substantial supplementary Air Force Budget appropriation had ripened.

AIR SCHEMES PARAMOUNT.

Contrary to a version circulated during the afternoon, British quarters, well-informed, discount the report that the supplementary estimates will be prepared in time for submission to the House of Commons next week, although their presentation is expected before the House goes into Recess for the Summer in July.

It is now stated that the Air Force expansion schemes, which are expected to practically double the present fighting strength of the R.A.F. and prepare the way for further expansion should the step be forced upon Britain by developments abroad, will eclipse the additional appropriations for the Army and Navy, which are expected to be relatively small.—*United Press.*

POWDER FACTORY DISASTER

ELEVEN KILLED IN EXPLOSION

New York, June 28.

Eleven persons were killed, including a woman and a twelve-year-old boy, near Olympia, today, when an explosion wrecked the factory of the Denn Powder Company.

The cause of the disaster is not known. The whole factory was wrecked and many were injured in addition to those who lost their lives.

The factory was situated at Hawke Prairie, about eight miles to the north-east of Olympia.—*Reuter.*

INTENSE HEAT AT CHINKIANG

Mercury Rises To 110 Degrees

Shanghai, June 28.
A report from Chinkiang states that the mercury there soared to as high as 110.2 degrees yesterday. Streets are deserted owing to the intense heat and business is at a standstill.—*Central News.*

STUDY OF LOCAL ECONOMICS

COMMISSION TO BE APPOINTED

It is understood that the Government is about to appoint a Commission to consider the present position of trade in the Colony, with a view to making recommendations for improving conditions.

The personnel of the Commission has not yet been definitely decided, but it is understood that it will be under the chairmanship of a Government official, and that its members will include representatives of the merchant, banking and shipping interests, those to include Chinese as well as European members.

Various suggestions have already been made to the Government as to means which might be adopted for improving trade, and these will no doubt receive the careful consideration of the Commission.

Although no announcement has been made on the point, it is to be presumed that the question of the free port status of the Colony will be considered by the Commission.

PEKING-MUKDEN RAILWAY

THROUGH TRAFFIC AGREEMENT

ONCE A DAY

Shanghai, June 28.

It is confirmed that arrangements have been completed for the resumption of through traffic on the Peking-Mukden Railway.

An official summary of the through traffic agreement was released by the Japanese delegation this morning.

It states that as the result of careful consideration, the Chinese and Japanese authorities have reached a decision to operate a one-train daily service from Peking to Mukden, commencing on July 1, under the management of the Eastern Tourist Bureau, which has been organised at Shanghai.

Mr. Yin Tung, the managing director of the Peking-Mukden line, stated that recognition of the so-called Manchukuo was not involved because a Sino-Japanese tourist agency was sharing equally in the management of the through traffic.

Colonel Shibayama, the Japanese Military Attaché, expressed satisfaction at the conclusion of the agreement and voiced the hope that it would lead to the furtherance of friendly relations between China and Japan.—*Reuter.*

PREMIER TO HOLIDAY IN CANADA

Probable Walking Tour Across Rockies

London, June 28.

The probability of Mr. Ramsay MacDonald visiting Canada for a holiday trip is mentioned in this morning's *Times*.

The *Times* says that details of the proposed tour are still being considered, but it is understood that the Premier will spend part of his holidays in the Canadian Rockies and that he will afterwards visit Newfoundland.

According to the *Daily Herald*, the Premier has practically decided to indulge in a walking trek across the Rockies.—*Reuter.*

MR. HENDERSON AND LABOUR PARTY

Resigns Position As Secretary

London, June 27.

Mr. Arthur Henderson has definitely resigned the post of Secretary of the Labour Party, although he is still prepared to continue the Treasuryship and to act consultatively.

Mr. Henderson is, of course, one of the "elder statesmen" of the Party.—*Reuter.*

DE VALERA OUTVOTED

O'DUFFY CAMPAIGN SUCCEEDS

IRISH ELECTION RESULTS

Dublin, June 28.

A sharp shock has been administered to Mr. de Valera by the results that have so far come in following the municipal elections throughout the Irish Free State.

They are regarded as definite evidence that the Fianna Fail is losing its hold on the country as the result of the economic war with Britain.

The state of the parties at present is:

De Valera Party 44
O'Duffy United Ireland Party 57
Other parties 18

The final results are not expected for some days as votes have to be collected over wide areas in some districts.

The significance of these local elections is that they were fought on a political basis. The first returns are regarded as an almost certain indication of the likely ultimate result, broadly reflecting the position in the Dail where the Government is practically dependent on Labour.—*Reuter.*

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BRIDGE EXPERT PASSES AWAY

MILTON C. WORK DIES OF HEART FAILURE

(Special to "Telegraph")

Philadelphia, June 27.
The death occurred here today from heart failure of Mr. Milton C. Work, the well-known whist and bridge expert.

He was sixty-nine years of age. He wrote "Whist of To-day" in 1898, "Auction Bridge of To-day" in 1912, and "Contract Bridge of To-day" in 1927.—*United Press.*



Marie Dressler

MARIE DRESSLER GRAVELY ILL

GRAND OLD WOMAN OF THE SCREEN

BEDSIDE VIGIL

New York, June 27.

Marie Dressler, one of the most famous and universally popular of all talking picture stars, is lying seriously ill at Santa Barbara, California.

A constant vigil is being maintained at the bedside of the patient, who is suffering from acute kidney and heart trouble.

Marie has weakened considerably in the last few days, but her doctor does not believe that she is in any immediate danger.

Marie Dressler is known as the Grand Old Woman of the Screen, and it is a notable fact that she did not become a film star until she was nearly sixty years of age (she is now 64) although she has been an actress ever since she was fifteen.

"PUNCTURED ROMANCE."
In 1907, she played in London as the highest-paid variety star of the stage up to that time, her salary being \$500 a week. She also played in some of the earliest American films, including "Tillie's Punctured Romance" and others of the type.

In 1927, she was hard up in New York, went to Hollywood and went from studio to studio unsuccessfully, while living at an expensive hotel for the sake of prestige and just when the money question was getting serious, Marie was given the part of Ma Callahan in "The Callahans and the Murphys." Her rendering was so humorous that she immediately jumped into star rank.

Her greatest work was undoubtedly in "Let Us Be Gay," when she captured the picture from Norma Shearer and other stars.—*Reuter.*

FAIR TO SHOWERY

The Royal Observatory reports that pressure is highest in the Pacific to the south and east of the Bonins; it is relatively low over N. China, Manchuria, and Indo-China. Local forecast: South-east winds, moderate; fair to showery.

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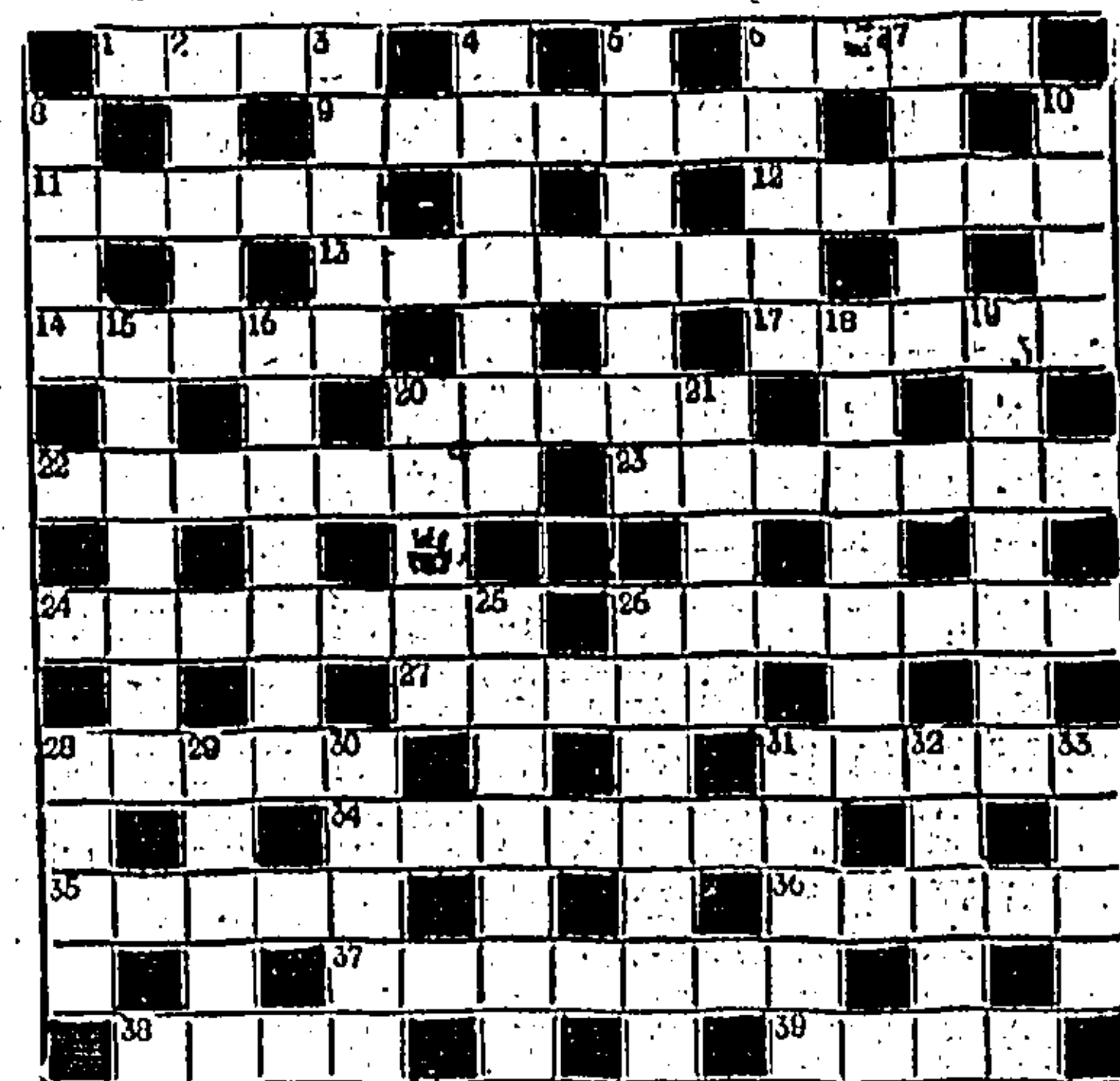
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- 17 One of the "Don't's" of golf.
- 20 English town with fifty sheep in it.
- 22 Great-grandma used to work it; it was larger after the start.
- 23 In harness, and once Bow-street.
- 24 Trees around a Bible king in France.
- 26 Scoundrel out of sorts in vain.
- 27 A royal reception.
- 28 How the schemes of mice and men gang aft.
- 31 It's exorbitant to soak.
- 34 Avenger (Anagram).
- 35 A bone in your leg.
- 36 Prophet like the sound of horse and bee.
- 37 A red rose appears altered in a cathedral.
- 38 Trees.
- 39 There's a bore in this Peninsular river.

Down

- 2 Not company, we are told.
- 3 The kind of progress you expect in the Fleet.
- 4 He jeers, but is responsible for a proposal in the end.
- 5 Stray in muddled mud; and 'all the jollier.
- 6 One form of sport.
- 7 You surely are not bound to be.
- 8 River-goddess?
- 10 Change your seat!

- 15 Such a passion sounds ripping.
- 16 On the staff.
- 18 A little lock.
- 19 Received by the striker, but in that case it can't be his fault.
- 20 Not subject to sudden depressions.
- 21 Did she sing "The Song of the Shirt"?
- 25 Such as isle is Britain in poetry (synonym).
- 26 Sometimes runs round the house.
- 28 How easily he might become a deli if he could get the D.
- 29 Bella is much changed.
- 30 Yea at the start from the Puritan maid, and yet wait all this time!
- 31 The meaning accompaniment of sound.
- 32 A Surrey village.
- 33 Musical folk associate it with circumstance.

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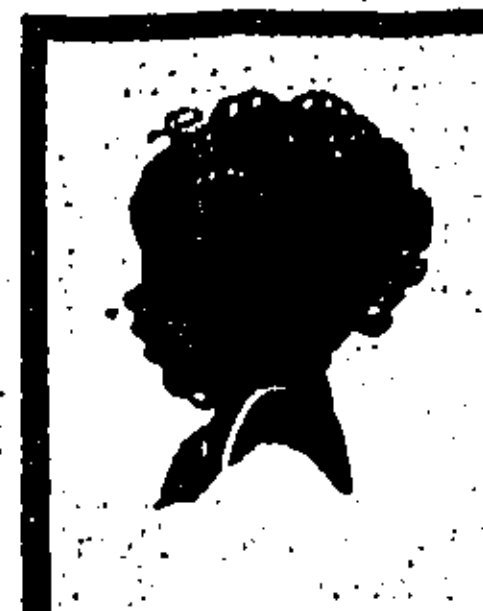
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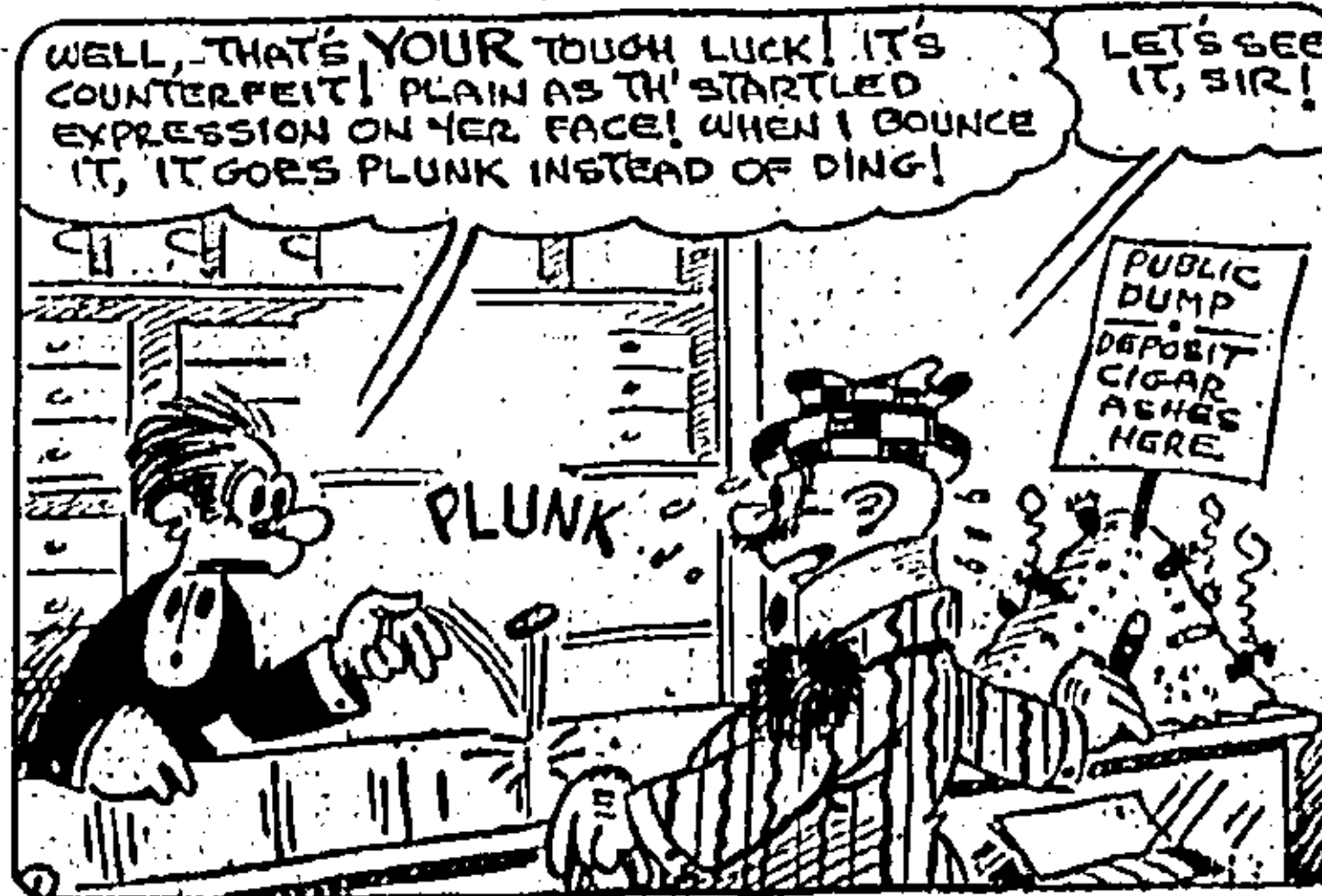


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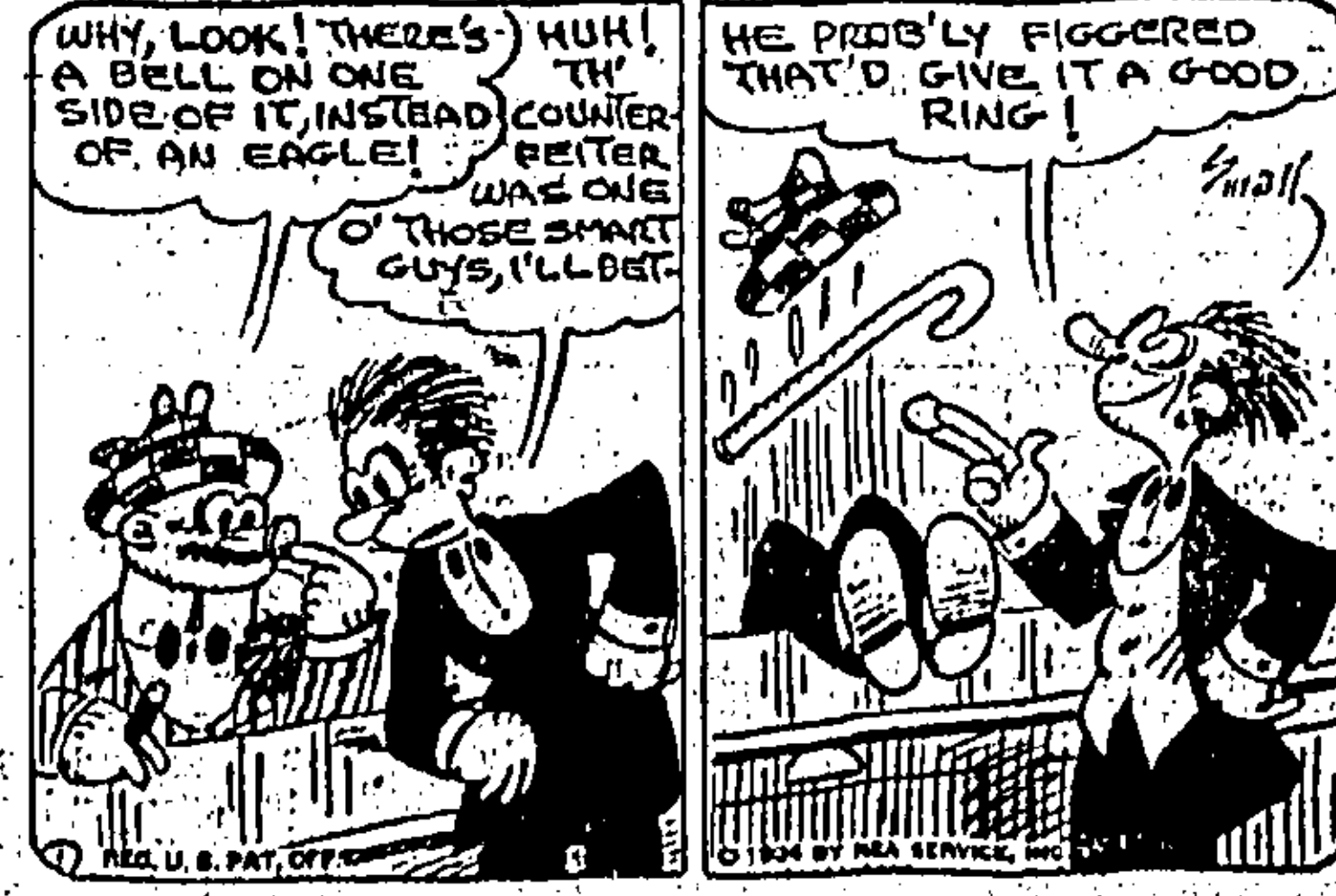
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CHAPTER XXXVII

Tom didn't understand the change that had come over Gypsy but he was grateful for the new peace and gaiety in the house. Although Vera's name was never mentioned, her presence in the city—in the office, in fact—appeared no longer to trouble young Mrs. Weaver. Tom had heard of letting sleeping dogs lie and believed in the axiom. Vera was still pretty anxious to know why she and "Tommy dear" couldn't be better friends. She pretended to believe she had done something to offend him. In a thousand small ways she contrived to be near him, and yet so innocently were the encounters managed that he could never be certain they had been engineered. If it had not been for Gypsy's earlier suspicions he would have put himself down as a fatuous fool for even considering the matter.

But there were no two ways about it, he couldn't ever bring Vera and Gypsy together. They didn't like each other and never would. Vera was a good business

woman. There were plenty of things he would have liked to discuss with her outside the office. Her mind was keen. She had a fine shrewdness. And so it was that he fell again and again into small traps of her making. He would be lunching at the sandwich bar and she would appear beside him with a plate of cold cuts and a salad. Tom would listen, talk, smile while the lovely woman at his side, her gilt hair just showing under the demure small hat, would murmur, encourage, applaud. "You handled Whitman exactly right, Tommy."

"Think so?" Even a clever man likes flattery. Tom Weaver was not stupid and he enjoyed appreciation.

"Do I think so? I know it, you blessed idiot." Vera's flashing smile belied the words.

"Bert's having the gang at his place Monday night. I wish you could get up there. The Manners people are coming. They'd be useful," Vera would say with a speculative look.

Tom would flush, stammer, get out of it. Of course, Vera understood. Of course, he was busy. It was quite all right.

"Darn it all," Tom would mutter to himself later. "I'd better run out on that girl. This will come to no good."

Later, at home, he would talk to Gypsy about the Whitman matter. "I got that soap account I told you about," he would say with becoming modesty at dinner.

"Oh, really, dear? Now where did I put that carving knife? On where did Elsa put it? She's getting so careless. . . . Gypsy would put down the platter with the steak. "Sit down while everything's hot. Darling. What was it you were saying about something?"

Tom might sigh a little. It wasn't that Gypsy lacked interest. She had plenty of it—but she was just wrapped up in other affairs. She might notice he looked a bit downcast.

"Tell me more about it, darling." "You know I'm thrilled to hear."

And Tom might go on but the first rosy glow of his enthusiasm would be dimmed. He would harbour the suspicion that Gypsy was more concerned about the sauce for the cauliflower than anything else.

Hunt Gibson had fallen into the habit of "dropping around" in the evening. These were the first warm nights of summer and in the city the spell was evident. Gypsy, in this, many-times-washed organdies from last season, would sit sewing under the amber lamp.

"Come in," she would say welcomingly. "I thought you'd be out at the Lido Club to-night. Ronny said you were all going."

Tom would go out into the kitchen to stir up a cool drink and Hunt would explain lightly that he had changed his plans at the last minute; something had come up.

Occasionally he brought Sue with him—Sue, looking unusually pretty and extremely wrath-like these days. But oftener than not he came alone.

One night after Tom had closed the door after their guest he came back into the living room and stood, thoughtful and silent, for a moment. His quiet, listening attitude gave Gypsy pause.

"What's up, darling?" "He stared down at her. "I've just come on something. That chap's in love with you."

She burst into a peal of laughter. "Where did you get that idea?"

He didn't smile. "Happens to be true."

Gypsy was annoyed. "Tommy, you never talk that way. It's not a bit nice of you, really. We don't go in for this sort of thing, do we?"

"Sorry, darling. Forget it. Maybe I'm just imagining things."

They dropped the subject then and there but neither of them forgot it entirely. Gypsy had always said she despised young married women who carried on flirtations—either openly or behind their husbands' backs. It all seemed pretty cheap, somehow.

But she found the thought of Hunt's liking her wasn't entirely unpleasant. Why, when she had been jealous of Tom, angry at him because he had been seeing Vera Gray, she had even entertained the thought of irritating him with an admirer of her own. Of course that was as far as she had gone—merely thinking of it. All wives, she reminded herself, do that at moments; the spirit of retaliation is neither a noble nor a beautiful one and she was ashamed now of her sentiments.

Just the same, it gave her a small, secret satisfaction to think that Hunt admired her.

Sue telephoned her one day and asked her to come to tea at the Vanderbilt, their old meeting place.

"I'd love to," Gypsy said. "How does it happen you're on the loose to-day?"

But Sue was vague. She would explain, she said, when they met. It was warm, clear and bright. Gypsy wore her new printed silk black with a scattering of field

flowers, and her wide shallow-crowned hat. She felt cool, well dressed and happy, a delightful combination. Her steps fairly danced along the crowded pavements and when she came into the deep, high-ceiled hotel lobby with its furniture already gay in summer, slip covers. It was with an almost overpowering sense of well being.

Sue, in this dim light, was pale. Her forget-me-not eyes were enormous and the faw faint golden crockles on the bridge of her small nose made her white skin look almost translucent. Gypsy felt a pang of concern. Why, Sue was ill, really ill, and not one of them had noticed it!

"They sat over their tea, two well dressed young women with pleasant voices, and no one noticed them particularly. One was dark, the other red-haired, and they behaved, the casual onlooker would have said, like old friends."

But the first words Sue said to Gypsy were scarcely what the casual onlooker would have guessed them to be. She said, "I wanted to see you before I went away. I'm terribly ill. I may not be in New York again."

"May not be . . . why, Sue dear! This is dreadful. What is it and why didn't you let me know before?"

The hand stirring the cup of tea trembled and Sue's upper lip trembled, too. "It's nerves," she said. "I'm all shot to pieces. I'm going out west, to Wyoming, to Aunt Henry's. I shall stay there—oh, forever, perhaps!"

Her eyes shone with unshed tears and her voice shook. Gypsy watched her, troubled. Sue, who had always been so happy-go-lucky, so utterly care-free—what on earth had brought her to this state?

"You've been working too hard," she said. "And playing too hard in the bargain. Why, only the other day Hunt said . . ."

Sue interrupted her, eyes glittering. "Hunt said what?"

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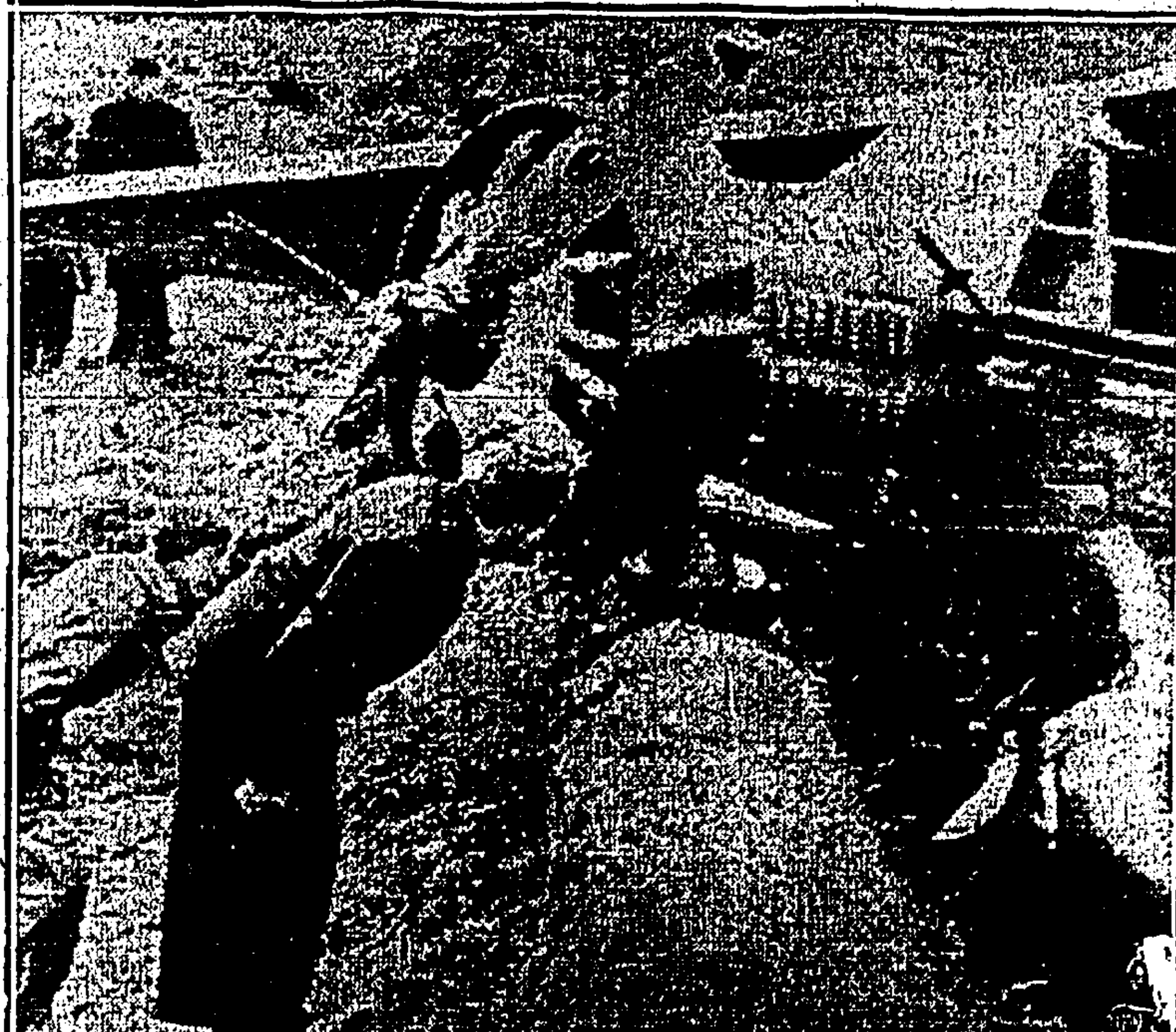
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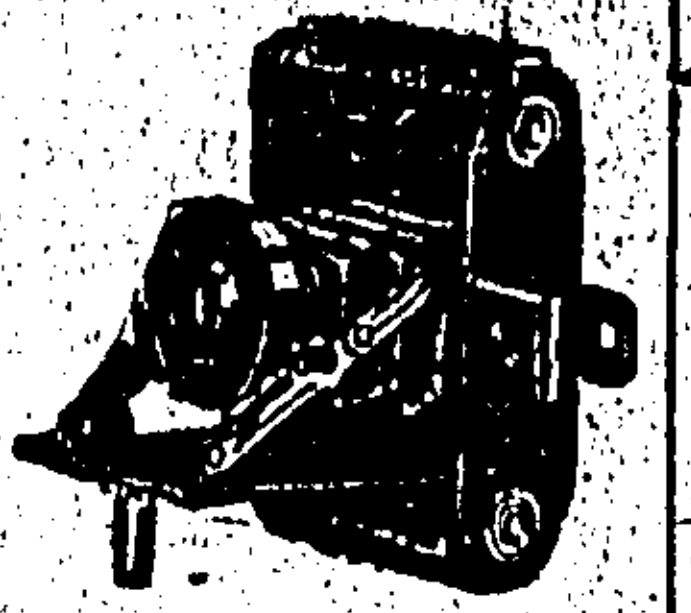


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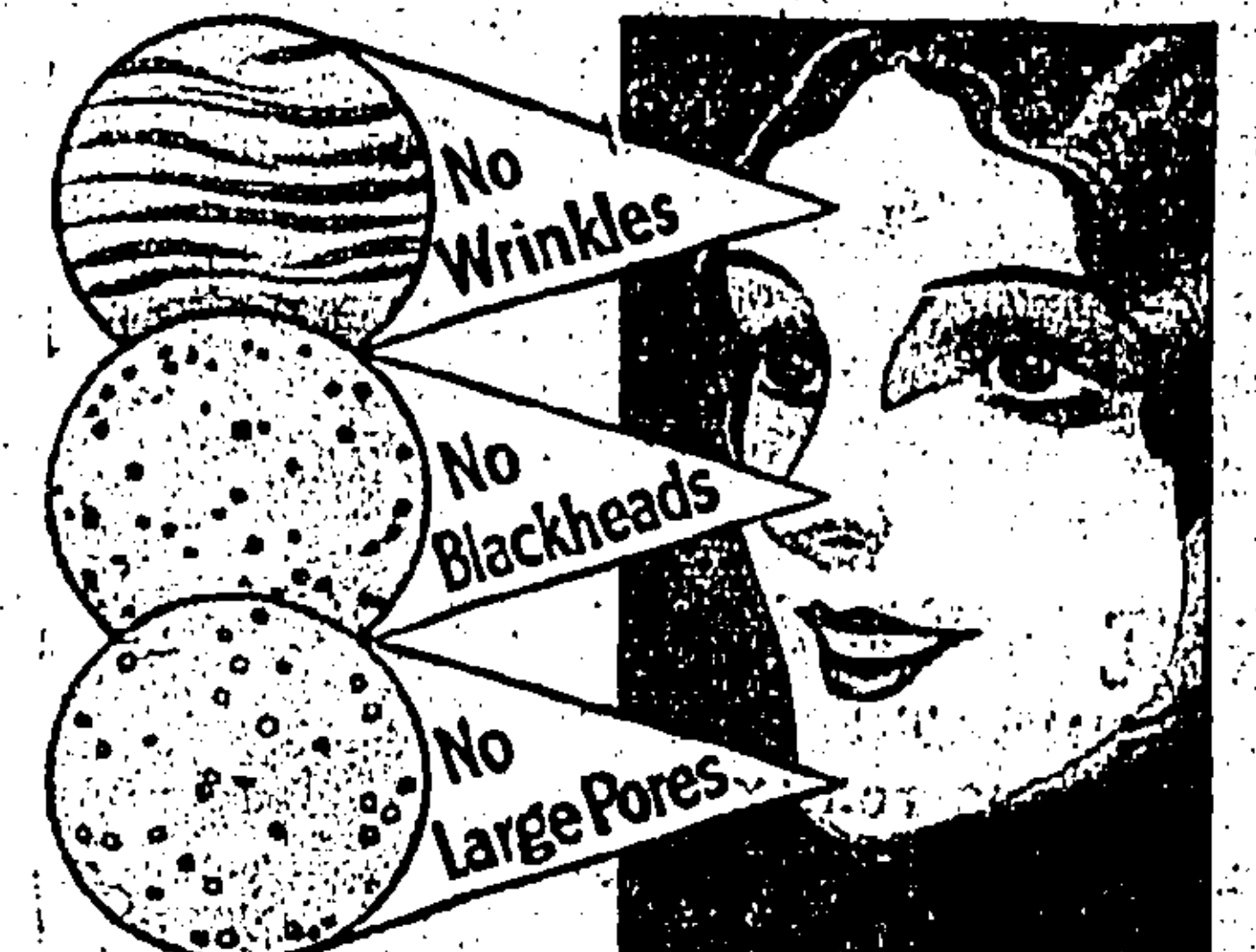
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FEET OF CLAY: JOHN DILLINGER

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gan grappled with him instead, "Johnny's" revolver went off, and the embryo outlaws fled. Their victim staggered home with no worse injury than a headache.

Half an hour later "Johnny" put his head in the door of the local restaurant and asked worriedly if Morgan had been killed. Morgan chuckled when he recalled the story. "This was an hour before I reported the hold-up to the police," "Johnny" pleaded guilty on his father's advice, and was sentenced to twenty years of assault and battery. He was taken to a reformatory, speedily became the worst boy in the institution, and eventually was transferred to a convict prison, where he spent nine years.

Last May he was paroled, returned to Mooreville apparently penitent—and within a month was robbing banks at the point of an automatic. Followed then his return to prison, his dramatic escape, and subsequent adventures as an outlaw, to which finale has not yet been written.

Johnny's fame hypnotised many people who had hitherto been regarded as mentally sound. He was photographed in an affectionate pose with Ralph Estill, Public Prosecutor of an Indiana county, after his second arrest. The picture cost Estill the renomination for the post: his victorious opponent had only to distribute copies of it through the county.

Back in Mooreville "Johnny's" old friends think he was wantonly persecuted for his first wrong step. Many of them look tolerantly on his whirlwind adventures in outlawry. His old father, a meek and faded farmer in patched overalls, is deluged by a "fan" mail from all parts of the country containing such tributes as "I certainly admire John's nerve."

But Mooreville condemns him even while accepting the homage that comes indirectly through their home-grown outlaw.

"Johnny's" weakness for feminine society in an indiscriminate way is regarded with disfavour. The recent accounts of the national hue-and-cry featured a new companion, a half-Indian dancing girl. Says "Johnny's" pastor, the Rev. Mr. Huston, of the First Christian Church: "There must be a lot of good in Johnny" or the people who knew him here wouldn't speak so well of him now. But those recent newspaper reports of him going around with all those women don't do him any good.

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INWARD MAILS.

Japan	Tokushima Maru	June 28.
Japan	Toktoro Maru	June 28.
Shanghai and Amoy	Chinhua	June 29.
Saigon	Felix Roussel	June 29.
Straits	Hakodate Maru	June 29.
Japan and Shanghai	Kaisar-I-Hind	June 29.
Shanghai and Swatow	Soochow	June 30.
Shanghai and Europe via Siberia— London, 11th June	Prousson	June 20.
Shanghai	Dardanus	July 1.
Calcutta and Straits and Air Mail ex Imperial Airways Service	Hosang	July 2.
Manila	Pres. Lincoln	July 2.
Straits	Agapenor	July 3.
Shanghai	Jean Laborde	July 3.
Canada, U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (Vancouver B.C., 12th June)	Empress of Russia	July 4.
Australia and Manila	Nelloro	July 4.
Shanghai	Sarpedon	July 4.
Japan	Africa Maru	July 5.
Japan and Shanghai	Briabano Maru	July 5.
Straits	Gango	July 5.
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shang- hai (San Francisco, 15th June)	Pres. Coolidge	July 5.
Japan and Shanghai	Bolhar	July 6.
Straits	Katori Maru	July 6.
London (Parcels only)—London, 31st May	Memnon	July 6.
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shang- hai (San Francisco, 8th June)	Pres. Monroe	July 6.
Japan	Sardhana	July 6.

OUTWARD MAILS.

For	Per	Date and Time.
	Thursday.	
Samshui and Wuchow	Tai Hing	Thurs., June 28, 4 p.m.
	Friday.	
Amoy	Tijbadak	Fri., June 29, 8.30 a.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, Canada, Emp. of Canada	Emp. of Canada	June 29.
U.S.A., Central and South America	and "Europe via Vancouver B.C."	(Parcels for Canada only) and "Europe via Siberia" (18th July).
Hohow, Pakhoi and Halphong	Kingyuan	Fri., June 29, 1 p.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Halching	Fri., June 29, 2 p.m.
Shanghai and Japan	Felix Roussel	Fri., June 29, 4.30 p.m.
	Saturday.	
Letters for "Bandong—Amsterdam Kaisar-I-Hind		Sat., June 30.
Air Mail Service	K. P. O.	
Reg., June 29, 4.30 p.m.	Reg., June 29, 5 p.m.	
Letters, June 29, 5 p.m.	Letters, June 30, 9 a.m.	
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, Kaisar-I-Hind		Sat., June 30.
East and South Africa, Aden, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles (Due Marseilles, 27th July).		
	K. P. O.	
Parcels, June 29, 4.30 p.m.	Reg., June 30, 9.45 a.m.	
Reg., June 30, 9 a.m.	Letters, June 30, 10.30 a.m.	
Manila, Rabaul, Australia and New Nankin		Sat., June 30.
Zealand via Brisbane	Parcels, June 29, 5 p.m.	
(Due Brisbane, 17th July).	Reg., June 30, 9.30 a.m.	
Amoy	Hupoh	Sat., June 30, 3.30 p.m.
Letters for "Imperial Airways Ser-vice"	Dardanus	Sat., June 30.
	K. P. O.	
Reg., June 30, 3 p.m.	Reg., June 30, 3.30 p.m.	
Letters, June 30, 3.30 p.m.	Letters, June 30, 4 p.m.	
Manila, Australia and New Zealand Changha		Sat., June 30.
via Thursday Island	Parcels, June 30, 3 p.m.	
(Due Thursday Island, 12th July).	Reg., June 30, 4.15 p.m.	
	Letters, June 30, 5 p.m.	
Straits	Dardanus	Sat., June 30, 5 p.m.
	Sunday.	
Swatow, Amoy and Formosa	Canton Maru	Sun., July 1, 9 a.m.
Bangkok via Swatow	Klangau	Sun., July 1, 9 a.m.
Foochow via Swatow	Chinhua	Sun., July 1, 9 a.m.
	Monday.	
Foochow via Swatow	Yatsching	Mon., July 2, 9 a.m.
	Tuesday.	
Letters for "Saigon—Marseilles Air Jean Laborde		Tues., July 3.
Mail Service"	K. P. O.	
Reg., July 3, 9.30 a.m.	Reg., July 3, 10 a.m.	
Letters, July 3, 9.30 a.m.	Letters, July 3, 10.30 a.m.	
Batavia	Tjondari	Tues., July 3.
Saigon, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, "East and South Africa, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles (Due Marseilles, 31st July).	Jean Laborde	Tues., July 3.
	K. P. O.	
Reg., July 3, 10 a.m.	Reg., July 3, 10.45 a.m.	
Letters, July 3, 11 a.m.	Letters, July 3, 11.30 a.m.	
Fort Bayard, Hohow, Pakhoi and G. G. Paul Dourmer		Tues., July 3, 1 p.m.
Halphong	Hai Ning	Tues., July 3, 8 p.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Presidents Lincoln	Tues., July 3.
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A. and S. America, Canada, and Europe via Marseilles	Parcels, June 30, 3 p.m.	
"Europe via Siberia" (Due San Francisco, 24th July).	Reg., July 3, 4.15 p.m.	
	Letters, July 3, 5 p.m.	

COLONY'S BUDGET EXPECTED TO BALANCE

LONDON INCREDULOUS

SILVER NEWS TREATED WITH GREAT RESERVE

London, June 27. Silver circles here are unanimously treating with the greatest reserve the messages from New York as to America's silver programme.

It is pointed out as being almost incredible that the Washington Treasury would announce its intention to purchase a huge amount of silver before the end of the year, thus encouraging speculation and forcing up the price of the metal. It is also very doubtful whether it would be possible to purchase such an amount as suggested within the period named.

It seems more likely that the Treasury will acquire silver quietly without disturbing the market, in accordance with Mr. Morgenthau's recent statement.

It is suggested that the message may have been inspired with a view to vote-catching for the Democrats at the coming election.

Sterling Gains

London, June 27. After prolonged activity at intervention, the British Exchange Equalisation Fund did not operate to-day and sterling strengthened of its own accord, owing to the small general demand.

It is believed in some quarters that the silver news from America, with the suggested possibilities of inflation, is causing uncertainty in the future of gold currencies, resulting in the small purchases of sterling.

The Reichsmark firmed up sharply to-day and yesterday, due to small purchases in a narrow market. The movement is out of proportion to the volume of business.

The Financial News estimates that the Exchange Fund has spent £10,000,000 out of its gold stock to support sterling since the weakness of the pound started recently.

JAPANESE LOAN DENIAL

CHINA NOT LOOKING THAT WAY FOR FUNDS

Shanghai, June 28. Mr. T. V. Soong flatly denies a report, circulated by Japanese circles, that the North-west Development Company is negotiating with Japanese interests for a loan of \$30,000,000 to finance part of the economic development programme. He said that the Company would never depend on Japanese financial aid for carrying out its projects.

BRITAIN'S RETAIL TRADE

IMPROVEMENT OVER LAST YEAR

London, June 27. The money value of retail trade sales in Britain last month was 7.7 per cent. greater than in May 1933.

For the first four months of the trading year, the total sales were 3.3 per cent. above those for the corresponding period of 1933. Stocks at the end of last month were 2.2 per cent. higher and employment was 3.1 per cent. greater than at the end of May last year.

TUNGAN VICTORY

COMPLETE CONTROL IN KASHGAR

Simla, June 27. The Tungan tribesmen are now in control of Kashgar and practically all southern Sinkiang, according to messages received here. Renewed fighting recently occurred between the Tungans and attacking forces from the North Province, presumably directed by Chinese with Turk help and under Soviet influence.

The Turki element in Southern Sinkiang, under the leadership of Hodjaniz, who claims to be head of the Turki Republic, is now reported to be desirous of returning to the Chinese regime, provided Soviet influence is excluded.

SOUND FINANCES.

GERMANY'S TAX YIELD MUCH IMPROVED

Berlin, June 27. A substantial improvement in tax yields was reported by the Secretary of the Finance Ministry in the course of a statement denying that a fresh tax would be imposed with a view to promoting German exports.

The official said that the tax yield of April and May was 120,000,000 marks above the corresponding months of 1933.

He was certain that fiscal receipts would exceed the Budget estimates by hundreds of millions of marks; and the German Government would thus be enabled to cover all fresh necessary expenditure.

Bishop Valtoria will distribute the prizes of the Chinese Catholic Schools Catechism Competition at Wah Yan College, Robinson Road, on Saturday, June 30, at 2.30 p.m.

LOWEST SUPPLEMENTARY BILL FOR THIRTY YEARS

COL. TREASURER'S STATEMENT

\$4,000,000 SAVED LAST YEAR

Speaking in the Legislative Council this afternoon, the Colonial Treasurer (Hon. Mr. E. Taylor) said the Colony's finances are in a sound and very liquid condition, and there is every hope that during the year recurrent revenue will more than balance recurrent expenditure.

Mr. Taylor made this statement when introducing a Bill to make provision for a supplementary sum of \$27,243,655, which, he said, was the smallest asked for since the beginning of the century.

In moving the first reading of the Bill, the Colonial Treasurer said:—I rise by Your Excellency's command to move the first reading of a Bill intitled "An Ordinance to authorise the Appropriation of a Supplementary Sum of Twenty-seven thousand two hundred and forty-three dollars and sixty-seven cents to defray the Charges of the year 1933."

Copies of the detailed statement of expenditure and the report on the finances for 1933 have already been furnished to each member. Only one head of expenditure was exceeded during the year viz. Head No. 28, Miscellaneous Services, the net excess being \$27,243.67 and for this supplementary appropriation is requested. There are, of course, excesses under some of the sub-heads of the other heads, but these together with the excesses on the items under the head in question have already been fully explained to Honourable Members from time to time, and have received the approval of the Finance Committee and of this Council in the usual way.

LARGE SAVING.

\$27,244 represents the total of the supplementary appropriation required, no account being allowed for under expenditure on all the other heads of the estimates. If this were done there would be a large saving, the total expenditure being \$31,122,716 against an estimate of \$35,199,247, a decrease of \$4,076,532. If the actual expenditure of the year be compared with revenue the surplus is \$976,563, thus increasing the excess of assets over liabilities from \$12,847,062 on 1st January, 1933, to

U.S. NOVELIST DEAD

E.M. RHODES PASSES AWAY

New York, June 27. The death is reported from San Diego, California, of Mr. E.M. Rhodes, the well-known novelist, at the age of 65 years.

Mr. Rhodes was a cowboy in New Mexico for 25 years, and began writing for publication in 1906. His first novel was "Good Men and True," and he wrote many in later years.

\$13,823,625 on the 31st December, 1933.

The estimates for the year amounting to \$35,199,247 were prepared on a basis of a 1s/2d dollar and a deficit of \$1,106,972 was budgeted for. This amount included a sum of \$500,000 being part payment to the Admiralty for the surrender of the Naval Arsenal Yard and Kellet Island. The payment was, however, not made but will fall to be made at a later date. Exchange never fell below 1s/2d, while the average rate throughout the year was 1/4s/16d.

UNDER-ESTIMATED.

Large savings as compared with the estimates were made under items as salaries, pensions, loan charges and stores. The under-expenditure on personal emoluments alone amounted to nearly \$1,500,000. During the year a supplementary budget was prepared and by a Resolution of this Council dated 31st August the following further monies were voted:—Head No. 32, Public Works Department, \$61,740; Head No. 33, Public Works Recurrent, \$60,000; Head No. 34, Public Works Extraordinary, \$509,918; total \$631,658. In taking this Bill it is customary to refer to the present financial position of the Colony. I will give some approximate figures to the end of May. The total revenue at that date was approximately \$12,920,000 which is \$301,500 less than the proportionate amount of the Estimates over a period of five months.

OPTIM REVENUE DECLINE.

The principal shortfalls occur in the following heads:—Optim Monopoly \$224,000, Land Sales \$188,000 and Stamp Duties \$90,000. On the other hand the receipts from Duties were \$37,000 in excess of the estimate for the same period. Railway receipts were up by \$75,000 and Estate Duty by \$90,000.

The approximate expenditure to the 31st May amounted to \$11,600,000, \$2,334,500 below the proportionate estimate of expenditure for the year. The under-expenditure is due partially to the higher rate of the dollar, savings being shown under Personal Emoluments, Pensions and Public Debt. Expenditure is, however, always less on "Other Charges" and Public Works items during the first half of the year and will rise as the year nears completion.

SOUND FINANCES.

The Colony's finances are sound and in a very liquid condition, and although it is early days to give an estimate of the final results of the year I have every hope provided there is no heavy decline in exchange that recurrent revenue will more than balance recurrent expenditure. The programme under Public Works Extraordinary is rather a heavy one and if progress is continued as expected, it may be that expenditure on such works will cause a deficit on the total year's working. It must be remembered, however, that expenditure on Public Works Extraordinary is generally much below the estimate and if this year the estimate is exceeded it simply means greater progress.

I would add that the supplementary appropriation now asked is the smallest since the beginning of this century.

The Bill was read a first time.

SHARE PRICES

The following is the list of local share quotations issued to-day.

Banks.

H.K. Banks, \$1840 s.
H.K. Bank (London), \$180½ n.
Chartered Bank, \$10¼ n.
Mercantile Bank, A. & B. \$28 n.
Mercantile Bank C., \$15 n.
East Asia Bank, \$91 n.
Am. O. Finance Corp., Sh. \$20 n.
China O. Fin. Ord. Sh. \$4 n.
China O. Fin. Prof. Sh. \$5 n.

Insurances.

Canton Ins., \$300 n.
Union Ins., \$672½ n.
China Underwriters, \$120 b.
China Fire, \$510 n.
H.K. Fire Ins., \$250 n.
International Asso., \$6 n.

Shipping.

Douglas, \$40 n.
H.K. Steamboats, \$7 n.
Indo-China, (Prof.), \$30 n.
Indo-China, (Def.), \$38 n.
Shells (Bearer), \$6/- n.
Union Waterboats, \$170 b.

Mining.

Antamoka, 60 cts. s.
Balatoc, \$32 n.
Baguio Gold, 86 cts. n.
Benguet, \$32½ n.
Benguet Exploration, 20 cts. n.
Benguet Goldfield, 20 cts. n.
Big Wedge, 12 cts. n.
Gold Creek, \$2½ n.
Gold River, 25½ cts. n.
Ipo Mining, \$1 n.
Itogons, \$7 n.
Kailan, 20/- n.
Langkats (Single), \$18½ n.
Shai Explorations, Sh. \$5 n.
Shai Loans, \$6 n.
Raubs, \$14½ n.
Venz, Goldfield, \$7 n.

Docks, etc.

H.K. Wharves, \$108 b.
H.K. Docks, \$15 n.
S. China Motors A., \$2 n.
S. China Motors B., \$8 n.
Providents (old), \$1¼ n.
Providents (new), 60 cts. n.
Hongkows (old), \$322½ n.
New Engineering, Sh. \$5 n.
Shanghai Docks, \$131 n.

Cotton Mills.

Ewo Cottons, Sh. \$11.30 n.
Shai Cottons, (old), Sh. \$72 n.
Shai Cottons, (new), Sh. \$42 n.
Zong Sing, Sh. \$11½ n.
Wing On Textiles, Sh. \$57 n.

Lands, Hotels, etc.

H. and S. Hotels, \$5.80 b.
H.K. Lands, \$58½ b.
Shai Lands, Sh. \$26 n.
Metropolitan Lands, Sh. \$14 n.
Humphreys, \$10.60 n.
H.K. Realities, \$5.35 b.
Aala Realities "A" Sh. \$140 n.
Aala Realities "B" Sh. \$20 n.
Chinese Estates, \$82½ b.
China Realities, Sh. \$16½ n.
China Debenture, Sh. \$137 n.

Public Utilities.

Tramways, \$21¼ b.
Peak Trams (old), \$15 n.
Peak Trams (new), \$7 n.
Star Ferries, (old), \$100½ b.
Yaumati Ferries, \$21 n.

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Telephones (new), \$12 b.
China Buses, Sh. \$13.20 n.
Singapore Tractions, 5/- n.
Singapore Prof., 16/10½ n.
Industrials.
Malabon Sugars, \$12 n.
Cald: Macg. (old), Sh. \$21 n.
Cald: Macg. (Prof.), \$19¼ n.
Canton Ices, \$2.70 n.
Cementa (new), \$2.80 b.
H.K. Ropes, \$4½ n.
Stores, etc.
Dairy Farms, \$26 b.
Watsons, \$5.70 n.
Der A. Wags, \$1 n.
Lana Clavords, \$4.40 n.
Mackintosh, \$21 n.
Sinceres, \$9 n.
Vim. Powells, 70 cts. n.
Wing On (H.K.), \$100 n.
Miscellaneous.
Amusements, \$4 n.
H.K. Entertainments, \$7½ n.
S.C. Enterprises, \$1 n.
United Theatres, Sh. \$2 n.
Macao "Greyhounds", \$2 n.
Constructions (old), \$1.55 b.
Constructions (new), 70 cts. b.
Ch. Govt. 5% 1925 G.S. Bonds 87½ cts. n.
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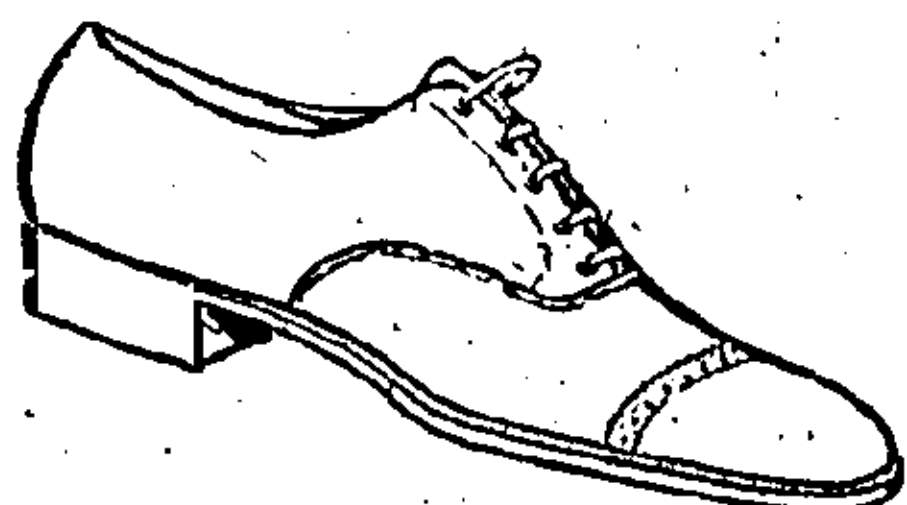
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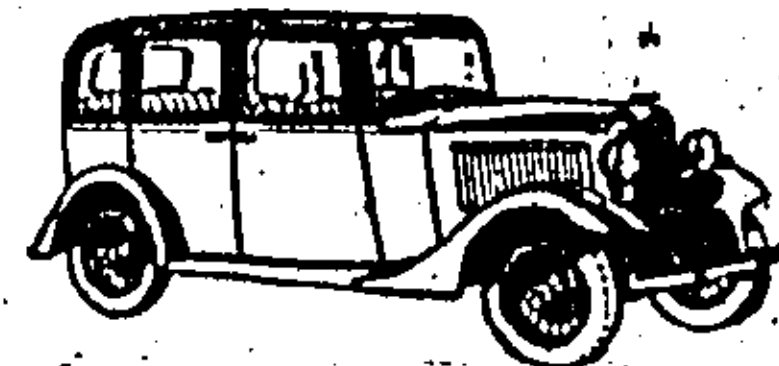
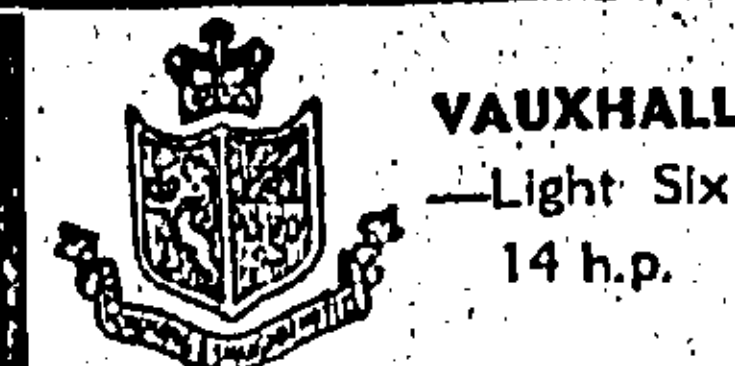
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THURSDAY, JUNE 28, 1934.

THE COLONY'S STRAY DOGS

No-one acquainted with the facts is likely to dispute the statement made by a correspondent yesterday that the police are faced with a difficult position in dealing with the present outbreak of rabies. If existing regulations are not adequate, there is every reason why they should be strengthened, in order to give the police lawful authority for steps considered necessary in combating a very serious danger. The suggestion made that the Colonial Veterinary Surgeon and the Government's law officers should consult for the purpose of devising measures which can be enforced, and which hold some prospect of success, is therefore much to the point. Much of the present trouble, we are convinced, is due to the large number of stray dogs which infest the New Territories. How many of these animals there are, it would be difficult to say, but if in one district alone it was found necessary to destroy some two hundred recently, the number must be legion. According to law, all dogs within the Colony have to be licensed, although no fee is payable where it is shown to the satisfaction of the Inspector General of Police that a dog is kept by an agriculturist as a watch-dog and is necessary for that purpose. This exemption follows somewhat on the lines of the law at home, but whereas to farmers in England one or more dogs are a necessity, for the rounding-up of cattle, sheep, etc., that is not the case here in Hongkong. The point therefore suggests itself whether far too many dogs are not permitted to New Territory agriculturists. It would, indeed, be interesting to know whether any actual check is kept on the number, whether licensing is enforced, or whether the law requiring owners to establish to the satisfaction of the police the necessity of having dogs is applied. It is conceivable that if owners had to pay a licence fee for such dogs as were not strictly needed, there would be a marked diminution in the numbers on the mainland. But in addition to dogs actually owned, there must be very many, not only in the New Territories, but in Kowloon and on the island as well, which are strays. These, being in nobody's care, are obviously of a type likely to spread rabies. It would therefore be a wise plan if, along with a strengthening of the existing regulations, some definite action were taken to investigate the number of ownerless animals, with a view to their destruction as one step in the campaign against the rabies outbreak.

NOTES OF THE DAY

LOANS TO INDUSTRY

Mr. Eugene Black's announcement that the Federal Reserve Banks are now prepared to receive applications for direct loans to industry may prove to be one of the turning points in the Roosevelt recovery programme when the value of its operations is assessed. Efforts to create new primary money in the United States have not proved conspicuously successful and it is hard to say at this stage what will be the precise effect of the expansion contemplated by the use of silver. It has, however, been clearly shown that until "secondary money" becomes more widely used, until that is, there is an increase in business loans, increases in currency supplies are of little value.

BORDERLINE BUSINESS

Expert examination in the last few months has revealed clearly that "secondary money" is showing no great expansion in proportion to "primary" money. Bankers have insisted that an increase in business loans must wait upon business recovery. Business men naturally retorted that the industrial machine cannot start without financial lubrication. The case has simply been made worse by this argument and counter-argument; for, as time goes on, businesses that are starving for financial accommodation must become increasingly risky as credit propositions. That is why the Government has stepped in. Through the Reconstruction Finance Corporation, it has already strengthened the position of the banks, and now, through the proposal to make direct loans to industry, it is taking the initiative in financing borderline business. In no other way could the Gordian knot have been cut.

NOT AN INNOVATION

The scheme is no innovation. In the Hoover Administration, the Federal Reserve System was empowered to make loans direct to deserving applicants unable to obtain accommodation at the commercial banks. Little business, however, was done. Apparently the credit conditions imposed were too exacting. Another effort to clear the channels between the reservoir of idle money and the public was made when industries were required to band together in mortgage companies as a preliminary to borrowing from the Reconstruction Finance Corporation. But, except for the cotton textile industry, moves to effect such borrowing organisation seem to have been rare. For one thing, the procedure was cumbersome. For another, strict requirements as to security were not lightened. The new step is designed to relax the requirements.

WISE REFORM

There is clearly a great need for some such financing. Quite apart from the urgency of the situation, industry in the United States requires the same kind of "intermediate" banking facilities which are already available to agriculture. Banks prefer to make loans which can be liquidated at the end of the process of buying raw materials and the disposal of the finished product. Investors generally help industry to make capital improvements, and take in return bonds with a long maturity. An intermediate credit system is necessary to fill the gap. For several years, the United States has witnessed the spectacle of a money reservoir with most of the outlet channels clogged up. If the present move is a step toward a permanent connection between the actual borrowers and the Federal Reserve System, it will be one of the wisest reforms so far initiated.

AND SILVER?

Meanwhile, the precise significance of Senator Dies' explanation of the Treasury silver policy is still puzzling observers of the market. If the statement was authoritative, it means that the Treasury is proposing to carry out the 75:25 ratio policy, requiring the purchase of over 1,245,000,000 ounces of silver, by the end of the year. President Roosevelt's message to Congress is worth recalling in this connection. He said: "We should move forward as rapidly as conditions permit in broadening the metallic base of our monetary system and in stabilizing the purchasing and debt-paying power of our money on a more equitable level.... we should not neglect the value of silver in improving our monetary system. Since 1929 that has been obvious. Some measures for making a greater use of silver in the public interest are appropriate for independent action by us. On others, international co-operation should be sought. Of the former class is that of increasing the proportion of silver in the abundant metallic reserves back of our paper currency." Here again, however, the question comes, Does it mean what it hints?

FEET OF CLAY: JOHN DILLINGER

SUPER-MEN are popularly supposed to be one of the products of the great American Republic. While some of the exhibits lately on view are of doubtful authenticity it cannot be denied that at least she has given the world the super-out-law.

"Public Enemy No. 1," no John Dillinger, enjoys that unenviable reputation. The outlaws known to Europe are but feeble offshoots of crime compared to this robust "killer" with the "snake's eyes" and a murderous sense of humour, whose exploits continue to fill the newspapers and give the police many sleepless nights.

Times have indeed changed since the good old days when an outlaw might also be a gentleman.

This new type of desperado thrown up by the machine-gun age lacks manners as well as morals. He has nothing in common with the heroes of the Corsican hills or the Sicilian celebrities of the Mafia. Unlike them, he will kill a friend as readily as an enemy, if the act will ensure his freedom when hard pressed. His flight from the law has left a trail of corpses, broken cars and riddled bank buildings.

There is no romance in him. He would be outlawed by the outlaws of the past.

The American school of crime was nearly responsible for putting the now defunct Mafia on a new basis of outlawry. A few years ago, before Mussolini sent the indomitable Cesare Mori to Sicily to break up that centuries-old organisation, it was the object of careful study by certain graduates of the gangster or cadet branch founded in Chicago.

These worthies were transplanted Sicilians or their sons who had risen in the bootlegging and racketeering games. An injudicious murder forced two of them to flee the country and they were next heard of under cover in Palermo. Contact with older brethren of the Mafia there disclosed the possibilities of reorganising the old-fashioned brotherhood on Chicago lines and making it a "going concern."

They might have succeeded but for Mori's drive inland from the coast. The Mafia fell piecemeal into his net of gendarmes. It was a slow business, but wholly successful. The Chicagoans fled dismayed to the hinterland, intent only on saving their skins. When captured with their more reputable companions in outlawry they were thankful to be extradited to the comparative safety of the Chicago courts. The others were put in cages.

I saw some of them months later at their trial in a market town, where the peasants had gathered from miles around to stare at their late masters. They were a dejected lot without their haloes.

The American outlaw has always been in a class alone. Jesse James, the train robber, was the first spectacular member of the fraternity to become a national figure. His rough-riders, with sheriffs and their posse lagging impotently behind, swept through the sparsely settled Western States, holding up railway cars laden with specie, sifting the terrified passengers to their last gold watch, shooting down every human impediment in their path, and vanishing again to one of their

remote hiding-places far beyond reach of their pursuers.

Jesse James had his imitators, but none achieved such notoriety or was such a distinctive figure. His escapades entered the realm of fiction before the end came. Six-penny "shockers" emblazoned with a lurid portrait of the outlaw, complete with wide brimmed hat and a brace of six-shooters, flooded the United States and were read with fearful joy by the rising generation. Other outlaws of the plains followed him into cheap literature. The brotherhood had its monument in the paper-backed novels of the day.

The machine-gun age has sent the old-time outlaw into oblivion. His technique seems curiously crude in the light of modern methods. The outlaw of to-day disdains to hide himself in a wilderness. He challenges society from an armoured car and cities are his prey. Gas bombs, chain mail waistcoats, wireless, swan-off shotguns and automatic pistols are his tools of trade. His progress has been speeded up and his traditional enemy, the sheriff, still lags behind. He has been known to evade military forces as easily as a wide-fung police net and to slip through the walls of an apparently impenetrable prison with the ease of a Houdini.

Which brings us back to Public Enemy No. 1, the elusive John Dillinger, now at large with a heavy price upon his head and an ineradicable smile upon his degenerate face—Dillinger, King of the Outlaws. His charmed life is a nightmare to the distraught guardians of the peace in every Western State. A fugitive convict, he laughs at prison bars, and his merriment has a sinister ring. Even his pursuers laughed grimly when he bluffed his way out of a guarded cell with a wooden revolver and made national headlines of the wardens in his path.

Dillinger's record tends to prove that outlaws are born rather than made. His life of crime was entered on voluntarily as an antidote to the boredom of the Indiana hamlet where he was born. Since he became the first outlaw of America, the incidents of his mispent youth have filled the newspapers, and inquiring reporters have ransacked his home town for stories, as they do when a man becomes President-elect of the United States.

Public Enemy No. 1 is still "Johnny" in Modocville, Indiana, whence he came. The 1,774 inhabitants have only to cast their memories back ten years to recall him as a 21-years-old machinist and the son of a trustee of the First Christian Church. He had an engaging grin and went to Sunday school because he had to. Bad companions were "Johnny's" downfall. His "hero" was Ed Singleton, a boy older than himself, who also had the germ of outlawry in him.

One Saturday night they waylaid an elderly grocer named Morgan on his way home from the village barber shop, beat him about the head and tried to rob him. "Johnny" for the first time used the magic formula, "Stick 'em up," Mor-

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The Very Idea!

JEEJEEBHOY PASSES ON

By George

"THE GOLDEN CANDAREEN." Last Instalment

It was a beautiful sunny day in Hongkong and apart from the Number 9 Typhoon Signal which had just been hoisted, there was nothing to mar the peaceful serenity of the great City.

Nothing, did we say?

Along the Praya came a large, gaunt woman making rapid progress by the simple expedient of lifting up her feet and dropping them a little in front of her.

As she came up to the Star Ferry she raised her rugged, heavily-lined face towards the clock and noted that it was twenty past twelve.

"A quarter past twelve," she muttered, instinctively correcting the clock.

The brightest of our readers will have conjectured by this time that the broken unlovely creature whom we have described dropping her feet all over the Praya is no other than our heroine.

Madge was on way to force Reg into a tiffa date having swallowed her pride and a tidy lot of gin in arriving at this decision.

The amah who, you will remember, incautiously flung herself at Madge's feet in our last instalment, has learnt her lesson by now and is reduced to her normal state of mind. She is supposed to be accompanying Madge but prefers to walk on the other side of the road taking a surreptitious peep into her beloved volume of Chaucer's "Early English Poems."

Arrived under the windows of the P.W.D., Madge elevated her glass eye towards the place where Jeejeebhoy, his hair neatly arranged behind his ears, was leaning over a typewriter. As he manoeuvred his dainty fingers, his clear voice carried in song while the Director and other satellites stood admiringly at a distance.

Jeejeebhoy paused a moment to yawn, covering his hand with his mouth in the approved manner. As he did so he saw Madge.

She drew back into the shadow and tried to disguise herself as the bark of the tree. She would have stood a better chance if there had been a tree there but as it was, Jeejeebhoy had already discovered her.

Giving the Director his typewriter to hold, Reg thrust aside the lift which had been brought up for him and shinned down the stairs.

In a moment he was by her side. "Have you got it?" he whispered eagerly into her ear which he had pulled down a couple of feet for convenience.

For answer Madge drew a quart whisky bottle from her stocking where she had kept it carefully hidden. Inside, the dreaded cockroach was imprisoned.

Jeejeebhoy reached out his hand to take the bottle but Madge with a subtle leer put it back in her stocking.

"Reggie darling, how about my reward?" Then relapsing into the vernacular, "How fashion you face so muchee red allsame father?"

It was true; Reg was blushing! Could he kiss this girl when he was promised to another was the wild thought that throbbled through his brain.

"But Madge, look you," he began, his native Welsh coming to his aid at this difficult moment. "It is no good whatever will come of this. I love another."

Madge gave a loud shriek of horror and fell in a dead faint.

Jeejeebhoy quickly removed the whisky bottle and, as an after thought, took the meat skewers out of his erstwhile sweetheart's hair and pinned the hair into the ground.

Then, hand in hand with the amah, he passed from view.

(Dear Readers—This is the last of Jeejeebhoy as far as we are concerned and we must leave him and his lovely love to their troubles. Much as it pains us (and Madge) to leave her in her humiliating position we find it better to do this than leave her at large. If we had continued we might have given her a wig so that she could be free again—but far be it from us to hope to improve on nature. Rather let us shed a saline tear on one so much misunderstood and deceived, and hope that in the unwritten instalments of her future life she may meet a love worthy of her noble character.)



"Well, we can't pay anything on Billy's alimony until Irene gets a cheque from her ex-husband."

BRITAIN'S REPLY TO U.S. WAR DEBT NOTE

PAYMENTS IN KIND HINT

PROPOSAL HELD TO BE IMPRACTICABLE

REAL CRUX OF ISSUE

Payments in kind are not practicable in present circumstances. The debt issue really resolves itself into a question of how much Britain can fairly be expected to pay. These are the principal points in Britain's new note to Washington.

The following is the text of His Majesty's Government's reply to the United States note:

"After careful consideration of the note which you addressed to Sir Ronald Lindsay on 12th June, His Majesty's Government in the United Kingdom feel that there are two questions to which it may be useful to make further reference.

In first place, His Majesty's Government would observe that in their note of the 4th they did not state that the payment of the British war debt was legally contingent upon the payment of debts due to them. What they said was that it would be impossible for them to contemplate a situation in which they would be called upon to honour in full their war obligations to others, while continuing to suspend all demands for the payment of war obligations due to them.

STATEMENT OF FACT.

This was a statement not of law but of fact.

Secondly, as regards the suggestion of payments in kind, His Majesty's Government would recall that the experience of German reparations showed that the transfer difficulties are not solved by a system of deliveries in kind.

As the Committee presided over by General Dawes pointed out in 1924, "In their financial effects, deliveries in kind are not really distinguishable from cash payments." In fact, the economic objections to cash payments would apply with equal force to deliveries in kind, unless those deliveries were to consist of indigenous products of the debtor country, excluding re-exports, and unless they were to be accepted by the creditor country and consumed by it in addition to the normal course of trade.

WILLING TO DISCUSS.

If the United Kingdom were not to receive payment for goods exported on commercial account, her exchange resources available for the purchase of cotton and other goods from America would be still further diminished.

Therefore, while not unwilling to give further consideration to the possibilities in this direction, His Majesty's Government do not, at present, see any method of putting such a plan into practice which would be likely to commend itself to the Government of United States.

CRUX OF QUESTION.

In the view of His Majesty's Government, the primary question for settlement in this matter, should be paid, having regard to all the circumstances of these debts.

They regret that up to the present it has not been possible to make further progress in this matter, but they will welcome an opportunity of resuming the discussion whenever it may appear that present conditions have so far passed away as to afford favourable prospects for a settlement and they are sincerely anxious to remove from the sphere of controversy all or any matters which might disturb the harmony of relations between the two countries.—British Wireless.

KOREANS FOR MANCHURIA

BIG SETTLEMENT SCHEME

Changchun, June 28. It is learned in local official circles that the Korean Government has an ambitious plan for the mass settlement of Korean peasants in Manchuria. The plan provides for the formation of a colonisation company with a capital of ¥10,000,000, to finance an annual settlement of 100,000 Koreans in Manchuria.—Central News.

EUROPEAN DRIVER CAUTIONED

OVER CROWN OF ROAD NEAR SHEK-O

Charles Robert Wilson was cautioned by Mr. Hamilton, at the Central Magistracy this morning, when summoned for failing to keep to the left hand side of the road when driving his car round a bend on the Shek-O Road on June 9. Mr. Hamilton said the evidence disclosed an error of judgment, but he did not think it was really serious.

Traffic Sergeant Brown said he was driving a motor cycle combination along the Shek-O Road towards Shaokwan about 4.05 p.m. on June 9. When rounding a bend near Island Road, defendant's car came from the opposite direction on the wrong side of the road. The off wheel was about two feet over the middle. Witness had to brake hard. There was room for a motor cycle to get through, but not for a car. After braking, he saw some people on the roadway, about 25 yards away from the car. Mr. Wilson had plenty of time to get back to the left hand side before he reached the bend.

Mr. Wilson stated that he was driving a big car, with three adults and four children in it. He saw six people walking in the road, and had to go to the extreme right of the road to pass them. He endeavoured to get back to his own side as soon as possible and considered there was enough room for a car to pass when he reached the bend.

COUNTRY YOKEL ROBBED

EASY PIGEON ON ARRIVAL

Deceived by an offer of assistance to find a job, Fung Ping-leung, nineteen years old and straight from the country, accepted an invitation to have tea with Wong Yuen and was robbed of Canton \$50.

Inspector Mair told Mr. Wynne-Jones this morning that complainant went with Wong to the Man Wan Tea Shop, the latter having said he would find complainant a job. He told Fung to change some ten cent pieces and complainant went out to do so leaving his bag containing other money in the shop. When he returned the money, equal to about Hongkong \$19.60, had been taken and accused had gone. Wong was arrested at the same place next day. Pleading guilty, defendant said he was out of work and had no money.

A sentence of six weeks' hard labour was imposed.

KIDNAPPED MAN'S ESTATE

GRANT OF LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION

Chan Cheuk-ling, of No. 66 Seymour Road, Tientsin, who was kidnapped on October 21, 1933, and whose death was reported by the British Municipality Police, left Hongkong estate worth \$18,600. Letters of administration have been granted by the Supreme Court to Mr. M. H. Turner, of Messrs. Deacons.

Leung Wing-foon, married woman, who died at No. 40 Bonham Road on January 10, 1934, left \$142,500. The probate, with will annexed, of the local estate has been granted to her husband, Tai Tung-piu.

Estate valued at \$21,000 was left by Alexander Robertson, bank clerk, who died at Brompton Hospital, Middlesex, on October 21, 1933. Letters of administration have been granted to Mr. D. J. Lewis, of Messrs. Johnson, Stokes and Master.

DAY BY DAY NEWS IN BRIEF

"THERE IS NO POINT HIGH ENOUGH THAT ONE CAN SAY THIS IS THE PEAK."

Chu Lin, a pantry-boy on the s.s. Cap St. Francis, was injured yesterday through a fall into a hold while the ship was at the Takoo Dock.

With injuries, including a scalp wound, Pang Siu-fat, a passenger on the s.s. Takada, was taken ashore to hospital on the arrival of the steamer during the week-end. The injuries are said to have been inflicted by another Chinese in an altercation during the voyage from Singapore.

Curiosity to see how a fire could be started nearly cost Au Lok-hing his life, yesterday, when he experimented with a heap of paper which he previously soaked in kerosene. The fire caused, Au to be severely burnt, and he was admitted to hospital suffering also from shock.

TROOPS ON VERGE OF MUTINY

SERIOUS AFFAIR IN AUSTRIA

HOSTILE TO THE HEIMWEHR

Graz, June 27.

A serious incident suggesting unrest in the Austrian army occurred to-day at Graz, which was one of the principal storm-centres in the February Socialist revolt.

A party of four hundred regular troops broke their barracks and demonstrated in the public square against the Sturmabteilung Heimwehr organisation, and they attacked and beat any members of the Heimwehr that they found on the streets.

Other troops, with fixed bayonets, were called out and succeeded in driving the demonstrators back to barracks.

The incident arose from a Heimwehr assault yesterday on a soldier, since when all soldiers were ordered to be confined to barracks.—Reuter.

CHINESE SHIPPING COLLISION

CAPTAIN AND OFFICER TO BLAME

Shanghai, June 28. Holding that the collision between the Chinese steamers Tsingien and Fuchow near Kiang-yang on January 17, which caused the drowning of forty of the Fuchow's passengers, was due to negligence on the part of Captain Liu Pei-sheng of the Tsingien, he was fined \$1,000 by the Shanghai District Court yesterday.

Zau Yung-sen, the other Tsingien officer, was fined \$500, and both were ordered to pay \$10,000 compensation to the owners of the Fuchow.—Reuter.

HUPEH-HUNAN BANDITS

RESISTING AIR BOMBING

Hankow, June 28. Marshal Chang Hsueh-liang returned here by air at 5 p.m. yesterday from Hanchuan after an inspection tour of the Hupeh-Hunan border.

The Marshal was interviewed by General Liu Chen-hau, the C-in-C of the Bandit Suppression Forces, and he ordered increased efforts for the suppression of bandits, who are reported to be holding their ground despite Government air-bombing activities.—Reuter.

DOLLAR AGAIN RISES

LOCAL MARKET VERY FIRM

There was a further advance of 1/8th in the Hongkong dollar on opening this morning, the quotation being 1s. 5 1/2d. The inter-bank rate is very firm, business having been done at 1s. 5 1/2d. Reflecting confidence in further silver advances, the market generally is extremely steady.

COUNTERFEIT COINS

MAN ARRESTED IN MCGREGOR STREET

As the result of the arrest of a man in McGregor Street yesterday, in possession of \$35 worth of counterfeit ten cent coins, a raid was made on the first floor of No. 7, McGregor Street, where another man, Lo Lam-chi, father of the first, was also arrested. He had \$4.80 worth of counterfeit ten cent pieces.

The men appeared before Mr. Hamilton this morning, and Lo Lam-chi took all responsibility, stating that he was given the coins by two men who had asked him to carry the coins to McGregor Street.

Inspector Murphy agreed that Lo Lam-chi was most probably a carrier. His father was 70 years old.

Mr. Hamilton sentenced Lo Lam-chi to three months' hard labour, and bound second defendant over in a bond of \$100 for six months.

STRIKE THREAT IN U.S.

LITTLE HOPE OF PREVENTION

Washington, June 27.

A strike of 75,000 workers in the woollen industry in the State of New England is threatened on Monday.

The Union's demands include the restoration of the 1929 wage level and a reduction of hours to not more than thirty a week, with no reduction in pay, and representation on the Wool Textile Code Authority.

Mr. Blanchard, Deputy N.R.A. Administrator, has asked that the strike be called off pending the creation of an Industrial Relations Board, but the Union organiser, Mr. Joseph Silver, has held out little hope that the strike will be avoided.—Reuter.

FIGHT ABOARD TAKADA

DEPORTEE STRUCK BY POT-PILLOW

An altercation between two Singapore deportees on board the s.s. Takada led to Chu Sam appearing at Kowloon court this morning on a charge of assault, and Pang Shui-fat being sent to hospital.

Accused admitted that he hit his companion on the head with a pot pillow but stated that Pang would only pay \$3 of a \$4.50 debt and challenged him to fight for the rest.

Inspector Rozesky said Pang would be in hospital for a week and Mr. Wynne-Jones ordered accused to be remanded for that period.

PORTUGUESE BANISHEE

ARRESTED BY POLICE FOR RETURNING

A Remedios Marques was charged before Mr. Hamilton, at the Central Magistracy this morning, with having returned from banishment.

Defendant was banished for ten years from December 20, 1932. Sergeant Moran asked for a 24 hours' remand, as he understood the Director of Criminal Intelligence wanted further enquiries made.

MANILA STOCK EXCHANGE

PHILIPPINE GOLD SHARE PRICES

To-day's quotations as received by Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz shortly after the close of the morning session of the Manila Stock Exchange are as follows:

Stock	Price	Volume
Antamok	40	40
Baguio Gold	28	28
Benue	22	22
Gold River	19	19
Ilo Gold	22	22
Manila	22	22
Manila	22	22
Manila	22	22
Manila	22	22
Manila	22	22

S. C. and F. Gold Share Index 59.6. Market steady. Volume Pesos 54,000.

RADIO BROADCAST

TO-DAY'S BROADCAST.

CHINESE STUDIO CONCERT FOR THIS EVENING

From ZBW on a wavelength of 355 metres:
6.30 p.m. European Programme.
6.50 p.m. From the Studio.
A Recital by Professor, S. Makle-zoff's Junior Pupils.
6.50-7 p.m. A Relay of the Hongkong Hotel Dance Orchestra from the Hongkong Hotel Roof Garden.
7.45 p.m. A Concert.
Song—Love Thee (Grieg).
Eva Turner (Soprano).
Violin Solo—Thais-Meditation (Massenet).
Violin Solo—Le Cor D'Or—Allynn to the Sun (Bismak-Korsakov).
Mitscha Elman.
Vocal Duet—The Swing Song (Veronique) (Messager).
Winnie Melville and Derek (Jdham).

Pianoforte Solo—Andante and Rondo X Capriccioso (Mendelssohn).
Irene Scharrer.
Song—Thou'rt Passing Hence (Sullivan).
Song—Follow me 'ome (Ward Higgs).
Rita Dawson (Bass-Baritone).
Cello Solo—Spanish Dance (Aragones) (Cassado).
Cello Solo—Menuet (Paderewski).
Op. 14 No. 1).
Gaspard Cassado.
7.45-8 p.m.
Hungarian Fantasia (Liszt).
Arthur de Greef and the Royal Albert Hall Orchestra conducted by Sir Landon Ronald.

8 p.m. Local Time and Weather Report.
8.30-10.30 p.m. Chinese Studio Concert.
10.30 p.m. Rugby Mid-day Press News.

10.35 p.m. Close Down.
ZBK Programme.
8.30-10 p.m. European Programme from ZBK on a frequency of 640 kc's.

8.30-8.55 p.m. Band Selections from Operas.
Carmen—Selection—(Bizet) (Alder-shot Command Searchlight Tattler).
Massed Bands of the Aldershot Command.
Cavalleria Rusticana—Selection (Mascagni).
Crestone's Band.
Matthia—Selection (Flotow).
The Band of H.M. Coldstream Guards.

8.55-9.08 p.m. Hawaiian Music. A Ekoli.
Hawaiian Love.
Nol Lane's Hawaiian Orchestra.
Hawaiian Stars are Gleaming.
Oh Hawaii.
Linn Milford and His Hawaiian Players.

9.08-9.13 p.m. Musical Comedy.
Vocal Gems—Music in the Air.
Light Opera Company.
Selection—Folly to be Wise.
Selection—Blue Roses.
New Mayfair Orchestra.
Vocal Gems—Erik Chavell's "White Horse Inn".

Light Opera Company.
Selection—Toll Her the Truth.
New Mayfair Orchestra.
9.42-10 p.m. Concert Waltzes.
Roses of the South (J. Strauss).
Bruno Walter Conducting the Berlin Philharmonic Orchestra.
Tales from the Vienna Woods (Strauss).
Blue Danube (Strauss).
Philadelphia Symphony Orchestra directed by Leopold Stokowski.
10 p.m. Close Down.

EXCHANGE RATES

	June 26.	June 27.
Paris	70.11/32	70.16/32
Geneva	15.46	15.46
Berlin	22.54	22.54
Brussels	22.54	22.54
Amsterdam	19.90 1/2	19.90 1/2
Oslo	525	527
Athens	58 1/2	58 1/2
Milan	58 1/2	58 1/2
Buenos Aires	30 1/2	30 1/2
Shanghai	1/4 1/2	1/4 1/2
New York	5.03 1/2	5.04 1/2
Amsterdam	7.41 1/2	7.42 1/2
Vienna	27	27
Prague	121	121 1/2
Bucharest	503	503
Madrid	30.13/16	30 1/2
Hongkong	1/5	1/5 1/2
Brussels	21.53	21.57 1/2
Stockholm	10.40	10.40
Copenhagen	22.30 1/2	22.39 1/2
Lisbon	110	110
Bombay	1/2 1/2	1/2 1/2
Yokohama	1/2 1/2	1/2 1/2
Rio	4 1/2	4 1/2
Montevideo	38 1/2	38 1/2
Belgrade	221	221
Montreal	4.03 1/2	4.03 1/2
Silver (spot)	20.5/16	20 1/2
Silver (forward)	20 1/2	20 1/2
War Loan	103.1/16	103.3/16

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BUNNY AUSTIN STILL WINNING IN STRAIGHT SETS

Andrew Merlin Defeated By Australian

E. D. ANDREWS VICTIM TO GERMAN ACE

American Women Achieve Successes

BRITISH WIGHTMAN CUP PLAYER LOSES IN SECOND ROUND

(Special to "Telegraph")

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London, June 27.

Rain marred the progress of the Wimbledon tennis programme to-day, nevertheless several important matches were concluded, with results generally in accordance with form and expectations. Honours were fairly evenly divided among the nations officially represented at the meeting. Britain, America, Australia and Germany all gained successes. France was the chief sufferer, losing their best singles exponent and No. 2 lady player.

H. W. Austin continued his triumphant path of straight-sets victories. This time Don Turnbull was the victim, the Englishman winning 6-1, 6-4, 6-3. Austin played perfect tennis, exploiting his wide repertoire of strokes to outplay the Australian.

It is of interest to recall that on the Riviera during last Spring, Austin was predicted to go through Wimbledon without the loss of a set. He has so far justified this bold claim in the first three rounds.

ANDREWS OUT.

E. D. Andrews, whose fortunes are interestingly watched in Hong-kong owing to the Colony's close association with the New Zealand player, was unlucky enough to run up against Von Cramm, the German ace in the third round, and was beaten in three straight sets. Andrews won but nine games.

Von Cramm, conqueror of Jack Crawford in the French championship, was in irresistible form, and remained in the ascendant throughout the game.

The best achievement of the day was the victory of Harry Hopman of Australia over Andre Merlin, France's successor to Cochet. Merlin found Hopman at his best.

Two of the American Wightman Cup team scored victories in the second round of the women's singles. One was at the expense of a French player and the other an English girl.

Miss Babcock overcame Mlle. Colette Rosambert, who failed to touch the same form by which she

beat Miss Freda James, and Fr. Aussem in the French championship last year.

Miss Sarah Palfrey was the other leading American to win through into the second round. She came up against Miss Dearman, this year's member of the English Wightman Cup outfit.

MISS HARTIGAN DOING WELL.

Miss Joan Hartigan, Australian lady champion, went another step forward in beating Miss Baumgarten of Hungary. Miss Hartigan, successor to Mrs. Crawford as Australia's best singles player, played clever tennis and her prospects are regarded as being excellent.

The day's leading results were:

MEN'S SINGLES

Third Round

H. W. Austin (Britain) beat D. B. Turnbull (Australia) 6-1, 6-4, 6-3.
G. Von Cramm (Germany) beat E. D. Andrews (New Zealand) 6-1, 6-4, 6-4.
H. Hopman (Australia) beat A. Merlin (France).

WOMEN'S SINGLES.

Second Round

Miss C. Babcock (America) beat Mlle. C. Rosambert (France).
Miss Joan Hartigan (Australia) beat Miss Baumgarten (Hungary).
Miss Sarah Palfrey (America) beat Miss E. M. Dearman (Britain).—*Reuter*.

Willard's Son Not A Prize-fighter

BUT IS CHAMPION HURDLER

Glendale, Calif., June 27. The squared circle today holds no charms for Jess Willard, Jr., 20-year-old son of the former heavy-weight champion of the world.

Right now, he's interested in truck and plans to take up coaching for a career. He is one of the best, incidentally, hurdlers, in California's junior college ranks.

Young Jess is a chip off the old block. He stands 6 feet, 1 inch—and weighs 190. And he's still growing. His famous dad tipped the beam at 240 pounds in his flate prime and stood 6-6 and ½ feet tall.

"I'm not at all interested in prize-fighting," says young Jess. "I think there are better ways of earning a living without having your nose mashed and you are bashed."

"Yes, and I'm not at all certain that Dad would approve if I should suddenly tell him I'd decided to enter the ring."

"He's never encouraged me in any way or manner to put on the gloves. In fact, he has never filled me with glorified tales of his triumph."

Competing for Glendale Junior college, Willard took three first places in a record meet. He won both hurdle events and the broad jump. And in a junior-college all-star meet, he also shone in the high jump.



Three members of the American women's tennis team now competing at Wimbledon. Reading from left to right: Miss Josephine Cruickshank, Miss Alice Marble and Miss C. Babcock. Miss Babcock was a winner yesterday.

TO-DAY'S TENNIS DOUBTFUL

SUN MAY DRY UP THE COURTS

(By "Veritas").

Even with this morning's sunshine, the possibilities of to-day's "B" Division tennis league programme being fulfilled appear somewhat remote.

Most grounds are saturated by the heavy rains of yesterday and overnight, and decisions regarding the fitness of courts will generally not be made until 11 a.m.

An interesting programme is scheduled, and includes the visit of the Kowloon Cricket Club to Causeway Bay, where they will be entertained by the Chinese Recreation Club.

C.R.C. MATCH OFF.

COURTS UNFIT FOR PLAY.

Late this morning, the C.R.C. announced that their courts had been rendered unfit for play by the rain, and the match with the Kowloon Cricket Club is therefore postponed.

If the match is played, the C.R.C. are likely to retain their unbeaten record. The K.C.C. are making one change from the team which beat the I.R.C. F. Zimmern displaces R. S. Capell, who is captain of the "C" Division team. Zimmern will partner Stapleton.

The Recreation can look forward to a win at the expense of the Indian Recreation Club, and the Graduates will probably be successful against the Hongkong Cricket Club. The University and South China engagement at Pokfulam is of interest with the odds slightly in favour of the Varsity.

The scheduled programme is: "B" DIVISION. H.K.U.T. v S.C.A.A. C.R.C. v K.C.C. Recreation v I.R.C. H.K.C.C. v Graduates.

THREAT TO GIANTS

CARDINALS AND CUBS IMPROVE

YANKEES RETAIN LONG LEAD

New York, June 27.

Chicago Cubs and St. Louis Cardinals further strengthened their challenge to New York Giants for the leadership of the National League to-day, when the Cubs beat Brooklyn Dodgers, and the Cardinals nosed out the Giants.

The Yankees maintained their clear lead—at the head of the American League, thanks to a nose-out against Chicago White Sox.

Cleveland Indians found Henry Johnson's pitching too accurate and were blanked out against Boston Red Sox. Two matches were called off on account of rain.

Latest results as received from *Reuter* follow.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

	R	H	E
Cleveland	0	3	0
(Henry Johnson pitched)			
Boston	6	7	1
Chicago	7	12	1
(Simmons homered)			
New York	8	16	0

(Ruth and Chapman homered. There were eleven innings.)
The St. Louis v Washington and Detroit v Philadelphia matches were postponed on account of rain.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Philadelphia	1	7	0
Pittsburgh	4	9	0
Brooklyn	1	6	3
Chicago	5	9	1
(Cuyler homered)			
Boston	8	11	0
(Bergner homered)			
Cincinnati	4	7	3
New York	7	12	3
(Schumacher homered)			
St. Louis	8	9	2
(Delancy homered)			

HANDS OFF THE NEW DAVIS CUP SCHEME

OFFICIAL L.T.A. ORGAN EXPLAINS THE TRUE POSITION

EXISTING METHOD ONLY WAY TO SOLVE PROBLEMS

In a carefully analytical article on the problems associated with the running of the Davis Cup, a recent issue of *Lawn Tennis and Badminton*, refers to the criticism levelled at the new system applied to the competition, claiming that any attempt to revert to the old methods cannot do any good, and that the alternative to the existing scheme—a biennial competition, also has its drawbacks. The article, which follows, calls for the complaining countries, to keep their hands off the new methods of conducting the Davis Cup.

The present method of organising the competition for the Davis Cup in Europe will become the object of discussion if not controversy at the meeting of the Davis Cup Council which will be held in London on July 31, when a proposal for its abolition will be submitted.

The scheme was devised with a view to relieving the congestion caused by the great number of challenging nations. It involved the institution of a qualifying competition for all European nations—with the exception of European semi-finalists in the competition of the preceding year. The nations eligible to compete in the following year were to consist of the semi-finalists referred to above, the four European nations which reached the semi-final stage of the preliminary competition, any nations from countries outside Europe which desired to compete, and the defeated champion nation, if European.

SCHEME IN DISFAVOUR.

The scheme, although readily accepted by a large majority of the nations fell into disfavour before it received a trial, and an effort was made to abolish it before it was introduced last year.

Various reasons were advanced for this change of front. The weaker nations disliked the idea of meeting great teams from overseas, the stronger nations hated the idea of having to qualify owing to the loss of prestige involved, and most of them objected to playing their ties in the summer months, because it interfered with their friendly matches and prevented their players from indulging in holiday tournaments.

These objections were not shared by the nations situated in the North of Europe, because the vital point to them was that the new scheme enabled a start to be made at a much later date in the spring, when their outside courts were less likely to be put out of action by frost and snow.

Overseas nations are also vitally interested because their players can leave home at a later date, thereby saving expense and minimising to some extent, the strain and fatigue which are inseparable from long absences from their homes.

In spite of protests from a large number of European nations, the preliminary competition was held during the month of July and August last, and, so far as one can learn, no particular difficulties were encountered. Austria, Germany, Italy and Switzerland qualified, and duly delivered their challenges, Czechoslovakia came in as the surviving semi-finalist of the previous competition, France came in as the defeated champion nation, and challenges were received from Australia, Japan, India and New Zealand, a total of ten as compared with the 24 challenges of 1933.

PRINCIPAL ADVANTAGE.

The principal advantage of the scheme now becomes apparent. One round less will be played and this is a permanent benefit, because it is in the highest degree unlikely under the present scheme that the nations qualified to

compete will ever exceed 16 in number.

On referring to the programme of ties, it will be seen that six of the ten nations engaged which competed last year will play their first ties four or five weeks later. The two remaining nations are New Zealand, which did not compete last year, and France.

In 1933, 16 nations had to play their first round ties by May 9. The eight winners had to finish their second round ties and eight other nations had to complete their first matches by May 21, whereas this year only four nations were engaged before May 20 (the corresponding date this year).

What are the alternatives? Either a return to the old method, which everybody agreed must be altered, or the adoption of a biennial competition which would mean congestion once every two years instead of every year. There are disadvantages in the biennial proposal; a nation might be able to nominate a team with a good chance of success in the year in which the competition is not held and be unable for some reason or another to do so in the following year. Moreover, intermittency would go far to destroy interest in the competition. The smaller European nations prefer to compete every year, not with any hope of success, but with an eye to gate-money which puts them into a position to improve their grounds or to send their players abroad to

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THE HOME-RUN PARADE

Rob Johnson Shows The Way

New York, June 27.

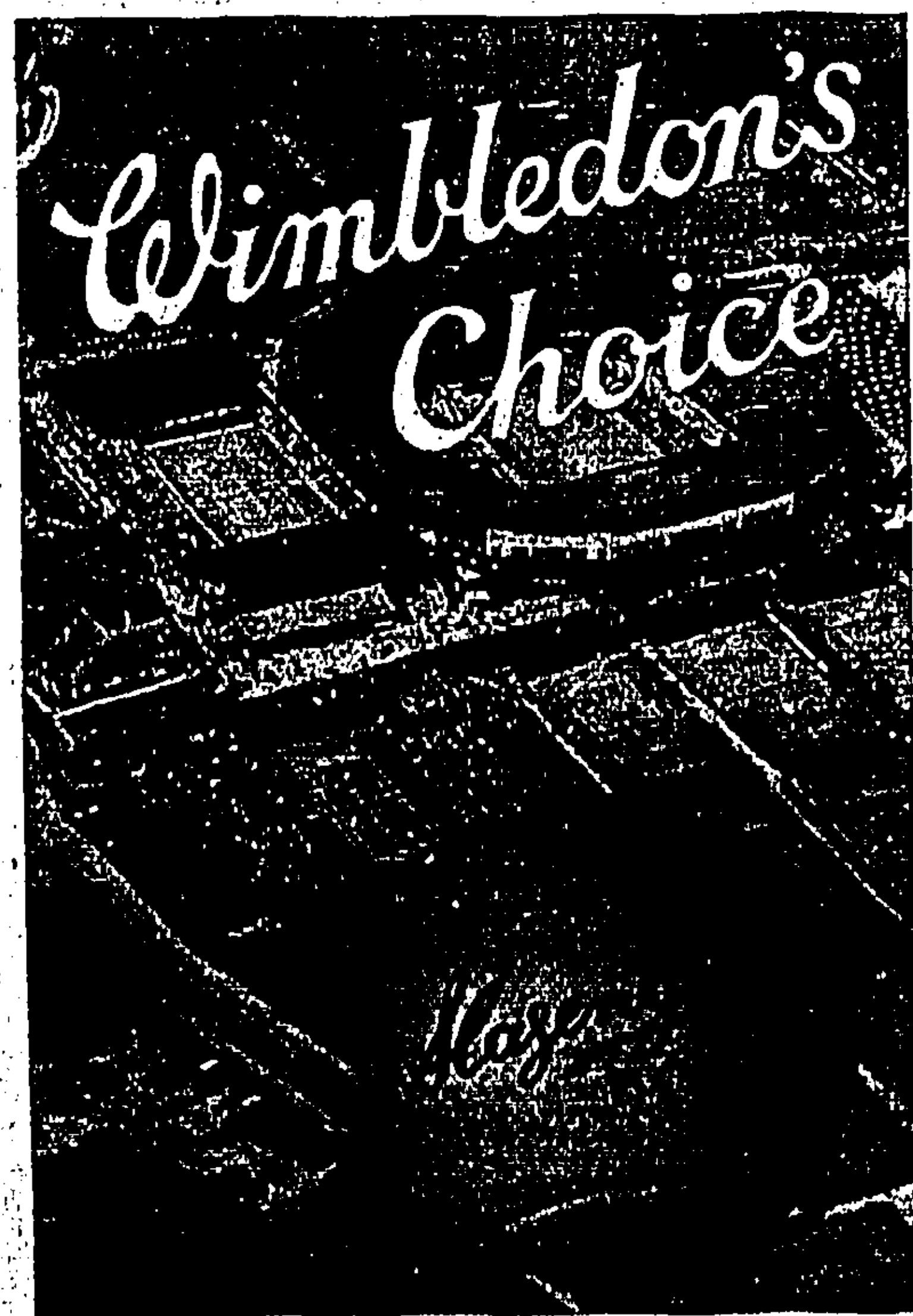
The 1934 homerun race in the major league baseball circles was today evolving into one of the closest sprints in the history of the big-time circuits, and all because of the new lively ball now in use.

Leading the circuit-swat parade today was youthful Rob Johnson of the Athletics. Connie Mack's aggregation of ball players, whose sole claim to fame prior to this year was that in 1933 he equalled the American League record for most runs per game, tallying five.

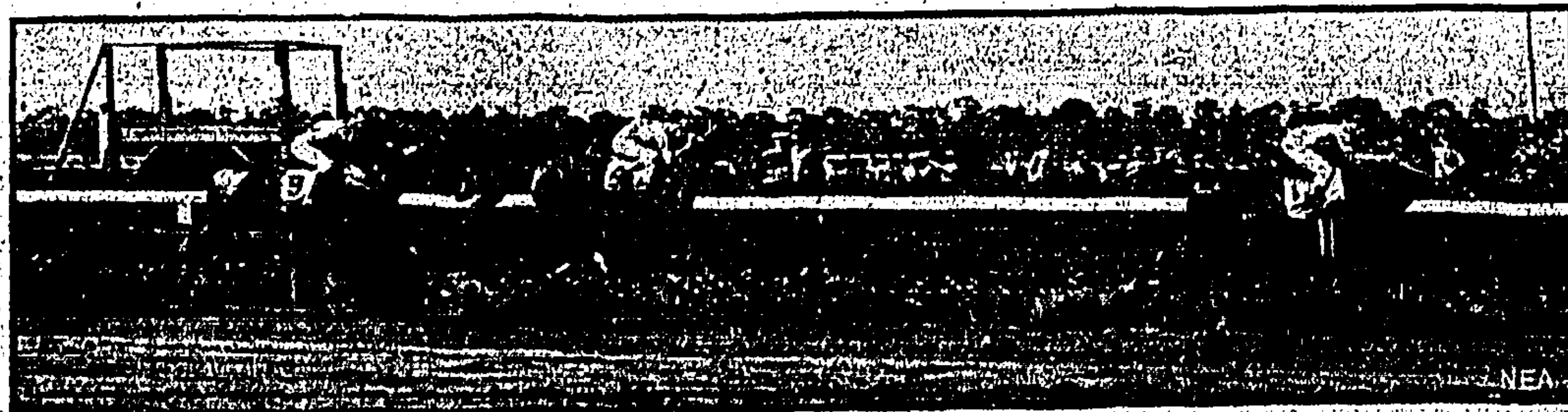
Rob has blasted 21 homers out so far this season and from all indications stands an excellent chance of finishing ahead of the rest of the pack in blasting out the most four-masters this year.

Next in line to Johnson are the five outstanding homerun heroes of the present age. Four, Zeke Bonura of the White Sox; Lou Gehrig of the Yankees; Mel Ott of the Giants and Chuck Klein of the Cubs, are tied for second place honours with seventeen round-trippers apiece. Jimmy Fox, last year's outstanding batsman, by virtue of today's circuit smash went into sixth place with sixteen homeruns so far this season.

With the exception of Babe Ruth with 10 and Hal Trosky of the Indians, also with ten; Johnson, Bonura, Gehrig, Ott, and Klein are way out in front.



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A spectacular turf contest that furnished a crowd of 20,000 not only with thrills but drama and tragedy as well was the running of the 41st Metropolitan Handicap at Belmont Park, Long Island, pictured here at its conclusion. Equipoise, shown leading Mr. Khayyam past the pole by three lengths, was disqualified for fouling, giving the victory to the latter. Disaster entered the picture when Chase Me, an heretofore undefeated five-year-old gelding, broke his leg while making a strong bid for first place, and had to be destroyed.

SCHMELING WILL NEVER FIGHT IN SPANISH RING AGAIN

Complete Disillusionment For German Boxer

Barcelona, June 21. Max Schmeling never again will fight in a Spanish ring nor how attractive the purse offered. So he asserts and his subtable manager Joe Jacobs echoes the assertion in terms too for publication.

pair arrived at this conclusion after the 12-round match with an here May 13 was declared a decision which even of the pro-Paolinotes had to was somewhat in the line of charity to their favour-

elling cut the rugged Basque es with forking lefts, and in union of most of those preon at least eight of the 12 ounds.

It was not only the decision rilled Mr. Jacobs and his p. Things seemed to go for them almost from the they put foot on Spanish the time they stepped off it. tly after arriving Schmeling one of his sparring partnd their wallets lifted by ckets. Jacobs demanded protection. The chief of smilingly refused.

ould look like we weren't in Barcelona," he said. the fight, originally schedor April 8, was suddenly ed by the promoters. They eed Schmeling had hurt his

e supposed to know sugthat a poor advance ticket d not an injury to Max had ed the postponement. ards Max shrugged meanwhen this suggestion was along to him for verifica-

ever that be, the "great ous," featuring 35 boxing s with three rings simultaive, certainly was not a al success when it finally yed.

big Montjuich stadium, with arena seats supplementing linary 90,000 capacity, was out one third filled despite e of an all-day picnic for a admission.

a postponement boosted ng's training camp exand according to Jacobs, han \$12,000 of the \$22,000 paid Max as his cut of the ent on the red side of the

he climax, in Jacobs' opinne after Schmeling had plane for Munich.

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n wants a return match e to him anytime he ohs yelled as he board for another trip to the "In the Sahara desert, and Sound, in the midia, but you can take it will never be in Spain, you!"

SCHOOL ATHLETICS

WAH YAN COLLEGE WINS

SAI NAM SECOND

The final results of the Inter-School Athletic Meet were announced yesterday and show Wah Yan College well ahead in the boys' section in the land events, Wah Yan won the "A" and "B" grades, and in the aquatic events reached second place in the "B" grade. They also won the combined land and water championship with a grand total of 103 points. Sai Nam College came second with 110 points. The results are given below:

Land Sports Championship.
"A" Grade.—Wah Yan College (78 points).
"B" Grade.—Wah Yan College (48 points).
"C" Grade.—King's College (10 points).
"D" Grade.—Sai Nam College (20 points).
"E" Grade.—South China P.S. (28 points).

Relay Championship.
"A" Grade.—Wah Yan.
"B" Grade.—Wah Yan.
"C" Grade.—Ling Nam.
"D" Grade.—Sai Nam.
"E" Grade.—Pui Ching.

Water Sports Championship.
"A" Grade.—King's College (32 points).
"B" Grade.—King's College (20 points).
"C" Grade.—Pui Ching (13 points).
"D" Grade.—South China P.S. (10 points).
"E" Grade.—South China P.S. (13 points).

Land and Water Sports Championship (combined).—1, Wah Yan, 103 points; 2, Sai Nam, 116 points.

Girls' Section.
In the Girls' section, Sai Nam secured first place with a total of 160 points.

Land Sports Championship.
"A" Grade.—Sai Nam (79 points).
"B" Grade.—Sai Nam (36 points).
"C" Grade.—Ling Tung (17 points).
"D" Grade.—Pek Oi (15 points).

Water Sports Championship.
"A" Grade.—Tsun Tak (8 points).
"B" Grade.—Sai Nam (6 points).

Land and Water Sports Championship (Combined).—1, Sai Nam, 150 points.

LOCAL SWIMMING

Satisfactory Exhibition By Japanese Team

At a Council meeting of the Hongkong International Amateur Swimming Association last evening it was announced that a credit balance of approximately \$80 was made in connection with the recent exhibition given at the Y.M.C.A. by the Japanese Olympic champions.

Mr. Wong Kam-ying, in the absence of Mr. Y. K. Mok presided over the meeting.

It was mentioned that souvenirs were presented to all the Japanese swimmers with the exception of Reizo Koike, who, it was thought, had broken the breast stroke record. It was decided that a special souvenir be purchased and sent to him. However, it was now doubtful whether the record has been broken as newspapers received by the Association from Australia showed that the record was 2 mins. 25.3/5 secs, whereas Koike's time was 2 mins. 28.2/5 secs.

It was decided by the meeting that a souvenir be sent to Koike who had at any rate established a Far Eastern record.

A message from the Japanese was received by the Association expressing appreciation to the V.R.C., the Association and various other bodies in Hongkong for the work done in connection with their stay and the facilities provided by the Y.M.C.A. for training prior to their visit to Manila, where they had carried off the championship.

Messrs. R. Goldman and A. G. Donn were elected to serve on the Water Polo League sub-committee and it was announced that the Chinese Bathing Club, Y.M.C.A., Navy, University, South China and Young Companions would most probably be the entries for the League.

The following members were elected to serve on the Finance Committee.—Messrs. Wong Kam-ying and E. F. Selk.

Mr. Donn announced that the Association's finances showed a credit balance of \$461.35.

Before the meeting closed Mr. Goldman proposed a vote of thanks to Mr. E. F. Selk and other members of the Y.M.C.A. for the work they put in to make the visit of the Japanese swimmers a success.

SON OF DAVIS CUP DONOR TAKES BRIDE



In a brilliant ceremony attended by prominent figures in political, social and international tennis circles, Miss Dorothea E. Gay, of New York, became the bride of Dwight F. Davis, Jr., only son of the former Secretary of War, Governor General of the Philippines and donor of the Davis tennis cup. The couple are shown leaving the Church of the Resurrection in New York following the nuptials.

HOW YALE WON BOAT RACE

HARVARD LOSE BY FIVE LENGTHS

PRESIDENT'S SON ROWS

New London, Conn., June 22. With President and Mrs. Roosevelt among the spectators, Yale's varsity crew trounced Harvard by five lengths in their annual race on the Thames river here today, and the Yale freshmen and Junior varsity eights also were victorious over their rivals from Harvard, the President's alma mater.

The presence of Roosevelt in the referees' launch failed to inspire his son, Franklin, Jr., and other onlookers of Harvard as Yale won the freshman race.

Franklin, Jr., pulled manfully in No. 6 position in the Harvard shell but the Blue crew captured the yearlings' two-mile event by three lengths in 8 minutes, 40-1/5 seconds.

Young Roosevelt, six feet four inches tall and weighing 180 pounds, was the powerhouse of his boat. He was completely rowed out at the finish. The President himself seemed to have a marvelous time at the classic, remarking to reporters that the races were "awfully good."

The varsity event, the seventy-second regatta of the two famous institutions, got started late in the day, as dusk fell. The usual crowd of many thousands witnessed it, trailing the tugging carmen in launches, crowding around the finish line, and following the shells in observation trains on the shore.

CLOSE RACE FOR 3 1/4 MILES.

Harvard made a close race of it for three and a half miles but at that point Johnny Jackson, of New Haven, the Yale stroke, increased the beat to nearly 40 strokes a minute and the Elis pulled steadily away while Harvard splashed badly.

At the finish the Harvard stroke, Sam Drury, of Boston, collapsed, but quickly recovered.

The Yale crew was slightly favoured in advance to capture the honours. The crowd was estimated as the largest in the history of the classic. The weather was perfect.

Yale's time for the four miles was 19 minutes and 51 seconds, a new, downstream course record. The previous record of 20 minutes, two seconds, was made by Harvard in 1916.

The victory for the Blue over the Crimson increased Yale's margin to 33 victories to 22 for Harvard since 1876.

President Roosevelt saw the finish of the varsity race, as the put in to make the visit of the referees' launch.

LAWN BOWLS

Pairs Championship Match Postponed

The third round tie between E. G. Post and G. Perkins, of the Police and F. J. Jones and A. W. Grimmitt, of the Civil Service C.C. in the Pairs Championship, which was to have been played on the Club de Recreol green yesterday, did not take place. Post and Perkins turned up for the game, but Grimmitt and Jones were absent.

HANDS OFF THE NEW DAVIS CUP SCHEME

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Wimbledon, France or even further afield.

Enough has been said to show that a return to the old system would be unsatisfactory, for congestion is likely to increase in the future, in which connection it may be pointed out that Estonia has emerged as a new European challenger, and that the biennial proposal does not provide a solution that is either complete or satisfactory.

It is to be hoped that the nations will give the new scheme a fair trial, which it has not yet had, and that they will not discard it except and until some better method is devised.

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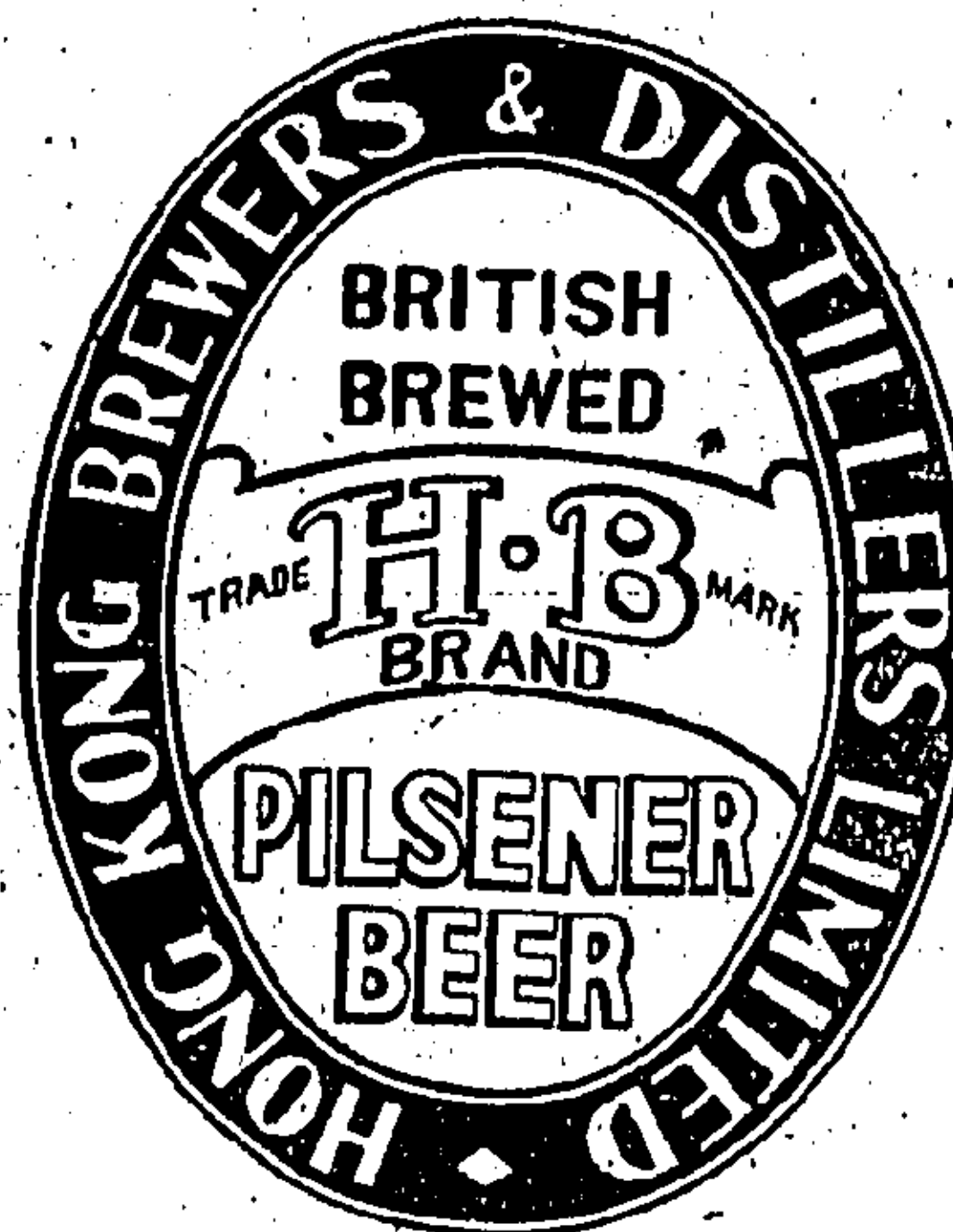
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LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

LATEST SHARE QUOTATIONS

The following quotations on the London Stock Exchange have been received by Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz in conjunction with Reuters.

Chinese Bonds	
June 26, June 27.	
4½% Bonds 1938	£101½
4½% Loan 1938	£102½
5% Loan 1912	£70½
5% Reorg. Loan	£95½
1913 (Ldn. Iss.)	£95½
5% Bonds 1936-47	£90½
5% Shai-Nanking	£90½
Rly.	£90½
5% Tient-Pukow	£90½
Rly.	£90½
5% Tient-Pukow	£90½
Railway (Supl.)	£90½
Loan	£90½
5% Shai-H'chow	£90½
Ningpo Rly.	£90½
5% Honan Rly.	£90½
5% Hukwang	£90½
1911	£90½
5% Lung Tung U.	£90½
Hai Rly. 1913	£90½
Foreign Bonds and Banks	
German 7% Int.	65½
Loan 1924	65½
Japan 5% Sterling	74½
Loan 1907	74½
Japan 6% Sterling	80
Loan 1924	80
H.K. & Shai Bk.	£101
(Ldn. Regd.)	£101½
Chartd. Bk. 25 sh.	£101½
Industries and Breweries	
Associated Elec.	18/6
Industries	18/6
Brit-Amor. T. & B.	118/1½
(Bearer)	118/0
Chinese Eng. and	20/-
Min. (Bearer)	20/-
Tate and Lyle	50/4½
Courtauld	50/1½
Distillers	50/-
Dunlop Rubber	44/10½
Everready 6/- sh.	28/6
General Electric	40/6
(England)	43/1½
Boots	43/1½
Impl. Chem. Ind.	35/1½
Impl. Chem. Ind.	35/0
Def. 10/- sh.	8/10½
Impl. Tobacco	123/0
Woolworths	101/3
Internat. Nickel	100/7½
no par val.	25½
Pinchla Johnson	40/-
10/- sh.	40/-
Turner and Newall	47/6
Unilever	22/0
Miscellaneous	
Anglo-Dutch	24/3
Burma Corp. Rn.	12/9
10	12/9
Canadian Pacific	14½
Rly. 52½ sh.	14½
Chartd. 15/- sh.	22/0
(Bearer)	22/0
Gula-Kalumporie	23/6
Rubber	23/6
Treaca Mines	11/0
L. A. G. I. A. G. I.	83/-
Estates	33/-
London Tin 10/-	13/4½
sh.	13/4½
Pekin Synd 2/-	2/-
ord. sh.	32/7½
Rubber Trusts	32/7½

COTTON, WHEAT AND SILVER

LATEST NEW YORK QUOTATIONS

Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz have received the following quotations on the New York cotton and wheat and silver exchanges for yesterday.

Cotton	
June 26.	June 27.
Close	Close
July	12.21
October	12.45
December	12.58
January	12.62
March	12.73
May	12.85
Spot	12.45
Chicago Wheat	
June 26.	June 27.
Close	Close
July	90
September	90½
December	91½
Winnipeg Wheat	
June 26.	June 27.
Close	Close
July	70½
October	70½
December	70½
Silver	
June 26.	June 27.
Close	Close
July	46.47
September	46.00
December	46.05
January	46.97
March	47.68
May	48.10
Total sales:	5,360,000 ozs.
(137 contracts)	(214 contracts)

RUBBER PRICES

LATEST SINGAPORE QUOTATIONS

Messrs. Benjamin & Potts have received the following Straits currency quotations (buyers) from Singapore to-day for raw rubber:

Spot	22½ off %
July/Sept.	23½ off %
Oct./Dec.	24 off %
Jan./March	24½ off %
Market:—Easier.	
Shai Elec. Constr.	
53/-	53/1½
Van Ryn Deep	
63/1½	63/1½
Electric Musical	
28/-	29/-
Industries	
46/3	46/4
Burma Oil	
78/1½	78/0
Southern Railway	
23/0	24/3
Royal Dutch	
100	£21¼
Shell Trans and	
50/-	50/-
Trad. (Bearer)	
30/-	30/-
Geldenhuis	
30/-	30/-
Crown Mines	
242/6	241/2

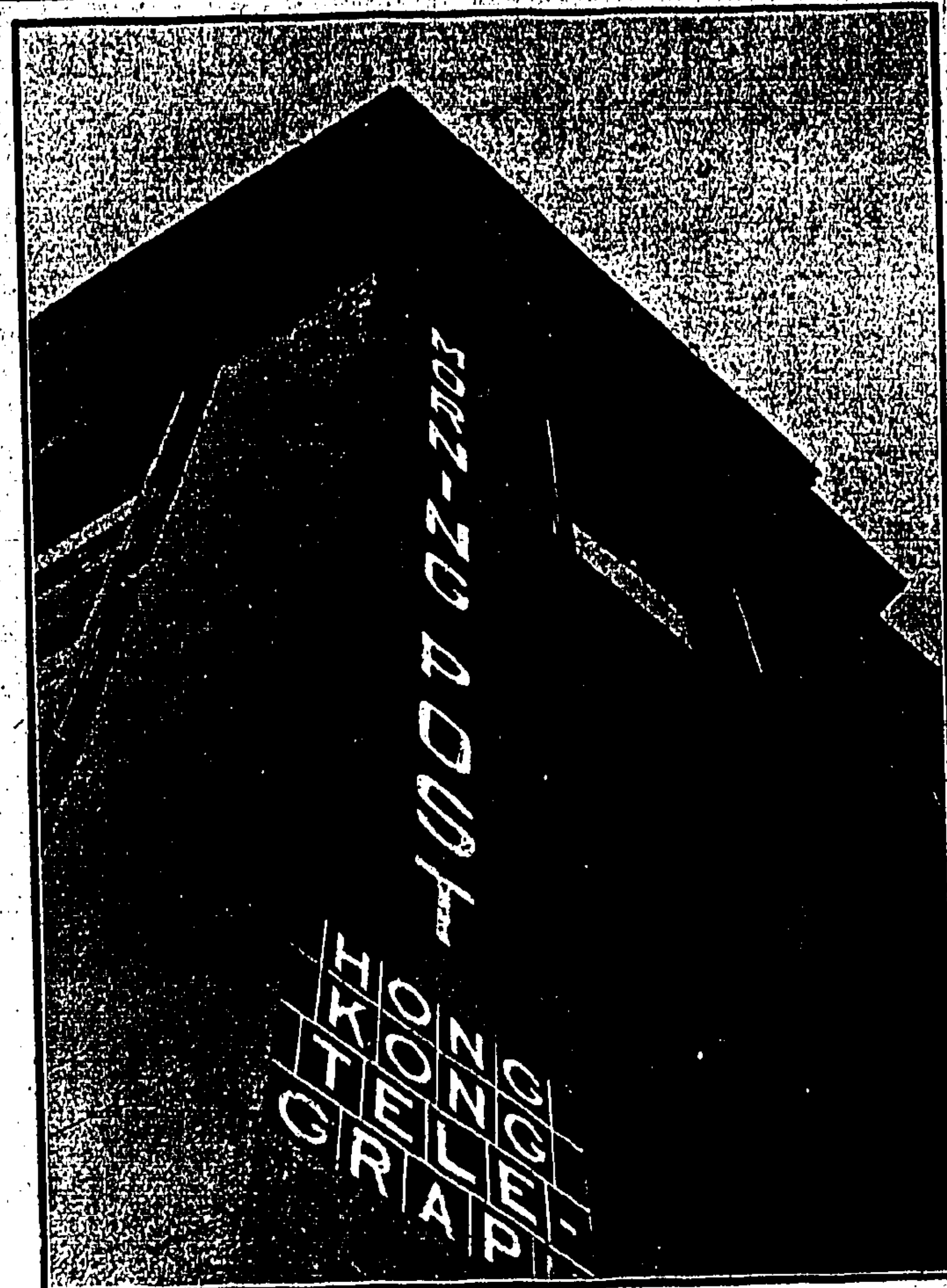
NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

YESTERDAY'S MARKET STEADY

According to Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz, the New York market was steady yesterday. Business done 630,000 shares. The Wall Street Journal reports: After earlier activity, the market showed strength, which was partly due to the Pennsylvania Railroad dividend of 30 cents. Later, the market turned unexplainably dull and irregular, some blaming the persistent reports that Mr. Poca would become a Member of the Stock Exchange Control Commission. Mining shares were the widest gainers during the early trading, being led by Home Stako, which closed at 410, accompanied by unconfirmed reports that the stock would probably be split into ten shares to one due to the current high price, which, however, San Francisco regarded as being most unlikely. Curb were firmer. Bonds were erratic. Grains were irregular due to public apathy, despite bullish cables regarding crop news.

Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz's New York office report:—	
Stocks: The line of least resistance still appears to be on the upward side, but real stimulus is lacking and public interest is at a standstill.	
Wheat: The market is meeting with hedging pressure and long interest is being liquidated. Prices are entitled to a good recovery and a much better corn market is looked for next week.	
Cotton: Prices are slightly reactionary. The weekly crop report is less unfavourable than had been anticipated. The spot market is dull, but the basis is firm. Believe that the weather situation in Texas will bear watching. Probably but little harm has been done up to the present, but a continuance of the drought for much longer will probably result in real damage. The weather elsewhere is favourable. Rubber: The market is featureless, but prices are steady.	
Dow-Jones Averages:	
June 26.	June 27.
30 Industrials	97.33
20 Rails	90.94
20 Utilities	44.57
40 Bonds	24.10
11 Commodity Index	56.45
The following market closing prices are quoted subject to confirmation as to accuracy in transmission:	
June 26.	June 27.
Adams Express	8½
Alaska Juneau Gold	8½
Mining Company	20½
Allied Chemical and	137
Dye	134½
American Can	98
American & Foreign	8½
Power	8½
American Metal	22
American Smelting	42½
American Tel. and	114
Tel.	115
American Tobacco	77½
American Water-	20½
works	20½
Anaconda Copper	15
Blasting	10½
Atlas Corporation	24½
Auburn Automobile	24½

Baltimore and Ohio	24
Bohlehem Steel	34½
Borden Company	28½
Borg Warner	23½
Canadian Pacific	16
Railway	14½
J.I. Case	50½
Chase National Bank	26
Chesapeake Corpora-	40½
tion	40½
Chrysler Corporation	14
Columbia Gas and	14½
Electric	2½
Commonwealth and	2½
Southern	34½
Consolidated Gas of	10½
New York	10½
Consolidated Oil	10½
Corporation	10½
Continental Oil	10½
Coty Inc.	10½
Curtis Wright Com.	10½
Curtis Wright "A"	10½
Du Pont de Nemours	10½
Eastman Kodak	10½
Electric Bond and	10½
Share	10½
Electric Power and	10½
Light	10½
Fox Film "A"	10½
General Aviation	10½
General Electric	10½
General Foods	10½
General Motors	10½
General Railway	10½
Signals	10½
Gold Dust	10½
Goodyear Tire and	10½
Rubber	10½
International Ce-	10½
ment	10½
International Har-	10½
vester	10½
International Nickel	10½
International Tel. &	10½
Tel.	10½
Johns Manville	10½
Kennecott Copper	10½
Lehman Corporation	10½
Liggett and Myers	10½
"B"	10½
Loew's Inc.	10½
Lorillard P. (Com.)	10½
Montgomery Ward	10½
National City Bank	10½
National Distillers	10½
New York Central	10½
North American Co.	10½
Owens-Illinois Glass	10½
Pacific Gas & Elec-	10½
tric	10½
Packard Motors	10½
Pennsylvania Rail-	10½
way	10½
Pennrod Corpora-	10½
tion	10½
Phillips Petroleum	10½
Radio Corporation	10½
Reynolds Tobacco	10½
"B"	10½
Sears Roebuck	10½
Southern California	10½
Edison	10½
Socony-Vacuum Cor-	10½
poration	10½
Standard Gas and	10½
Electric	10½
Standard Oil Co. of	10½
N.J.	10½
Sterling Products	10½
Inc.	10½
Studebaker Corpora-	10½
tion	10½
Texas Corporation	10½
Transamerica	10½
Union Carbide and	10½
Carbon	10½
Union Pacific Rail-	10½
way	10½
United Aircraft and	10½
Transport	10½
United Corporation	10½

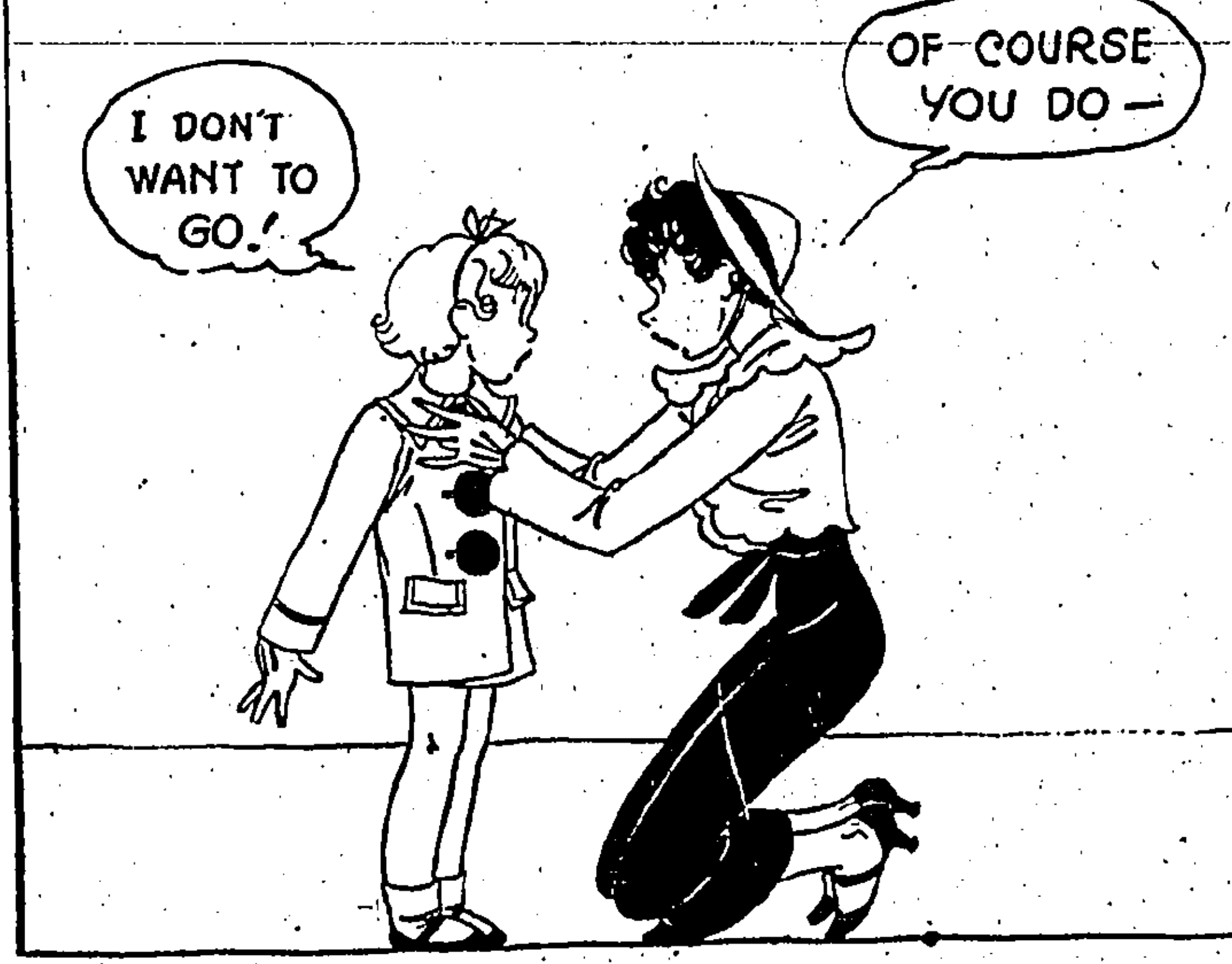


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HENRY COTTON LEADS FIELD WITH BRILLIANT ROUND

SILVER MYSTERY REMAINS: U.S. TREASURY SILENT

OPEN GOLF SURPRISES

AMERICAN CHALLENGE UNCONVINCING

BRITONS WELL TO FORE

London, June 27.

Magnificent performances by a score of British golfers over the Royal St. George's course at Sandwich to-day have given rise to strong hopes that Britain will retain the open championship trophy in the British Isles for the first time for eleven years.

Britain has seldom had a better-looking chance at the end of the first round of the championship tournament, competition proper. The American challengers were most unconvincing. They were not so smooth and accurate on the greens as usual. Densmore Shute, the holder, alone showed good form, and he finished up four strokes behind the leader, Henry Cotton.

But for a couple of putts, Cotton might have established a new record for the course, although it would have been pretty near a miracle. As it was he went round in a brilliant 67, which would have established a record had he not himself broken the course record by two strokes on Tuesday when he returned a card of 66 in the qualifying competition.

YOUNG PRO'S GOOD ROUND.

The surprise round was, however, pulled out by F. Tiggart, a young assistant professional from Cheshire. He aggregated a nicely played 70 and led the field until Cotton brought in his 67, and then occupied second place, with seven others in close attendance with 71. A. H. Padgham was among this number. He was playing with all his old confidence and only a small spot of trouble at one or two places marred a round of almost perfect golf.

BEST AMATEUR.

The best amateur performance was put up by Leslie Garnett, the London "millionaire" Guardsman, who did a 73 without troubling himself much. Garnett, it will be recalled reached the semi-final of the amateur open championship, being defeated by Lawson Little, the ultimate winner.

Outside Densmore Shute, the best American card was that of Kirkwood, who finished seven strokes behind the leader. Gene Sarazen needed 76 and MacDonald Smith needed to put up some sensational rounds if he is to continue in the running.

LEADING SCORES.

Henry Cotton (Brussels)	67
F. Tiggart (Winstow)	70
A. H. Padgham (Sandridge)	71
H. S. Laidlaw (Wentworth)	71
C. A. Whitcombe (Crewe Hill)	71
Bert Hodson (Chigwell)	71
G. S. Denny (Thorne Hall)	71
Densmore Shute, U.S.A.	71
Dallimore (Frankton)	71
P. J. Mahon (Birr, Ireland)	72
E. R. Whitcombe (Meyrick Park)	72
G. Good (Rimley)	72
A. Weston	72
W. T. Twine (Langley Park)	72
P. Ailes (Beaconsfield)	72
Leslie Garnett (Adlington)	73
J. Adams (Royal County Down)	73

Others scores included:
Joe Kirkwood, U.S.A., 75
Gene Sarazen, U.S.A., 76
MacDonald Smith, U.S.A., 77

TRAMCAR BADLY DAMAGED

IN COLLISION WITH LORRY

Extensive damage was done to the front of a west-bound tramcar, No. 10, when a lorry driven in the same direction came into collision with it outside the Royal Army Ordnance Corps Depot in Queen's Road East this morning.

The lorry, No. 1048, apparently attempted to overtake the tramcar, with the result its rear axle mudguard struck the inside of the tram driver's cab, partly wrenching off the front portion of the tram, and splintering the glass pane. The front stepping board was also damaged.

Several west-bound trams were held up as result of the accident, while the damaged car was diverted to the other track and taken back to the Company's yard.

DISAPPOINTING TURNOVER

WM. POWELL'S ANNUAL MEETING

CREDIT DISCOUNT SCHEME

The Thirty-third Ordinary General meeting of Shareholders of Messrs. William Powell, Ltd., was held at the registered Office, 6 Des Voeux Road, Central this morning with Mr. E. M. Raymond in the chair. He was supported by Messrs. J. H. Seth (Director), H. Overy (Managing Director), W. L. Alexander (Secretary), P. F. Wong, A. Nissim and H. J. M. Figueiredo (shareholders).

Addressing the meeting the chairman said:

"Our turnover for the year has been disappointing but I am glad to say that we seem to have obtained our share of what business there was. Very few retail stores have maintained their turnover and I regret to state that up to the present there appears to be no signs of a revival of trade."

"Your Directors are fully alive to the necessity of increasing the turnover and attracting new customers and, in this connection, I should like to mention that we have just instituted a special credit discount scheme, the details of which Mr. Overy, Managing Director, will be pleased to explain to anyone interested."

NEW PREMISES.

"On the 1st May we moved into our new premises in the Hongkong Stock Exchange and I think shareholders will agree that it is a store in which we can take pride. The customers' convenience has been studied in every way and the staff deserve great credit for the efficient manner in which the removal was carried out."

"I think the accounts presented are self-explanatory but I should like to point out that your directors have considered it advisable to write down furniture and fittings by a further \$938.25, leaving the book value of this Asset at \$2,300.00."

"I will now propose the adoption of the report and accounts as presented and after the resolution has been duly seconded, I shall be pleased to answer to the best of my ability any question which shareholders may like to put."

Mr. Overy seconded the adoption of the Report and Statement of Accounts, the motion being carried unanimously.

On the proposition of Mr. Figueiredo, seconded by Mr. Wong, Mr. E. M. Raymond was re-elected to the Board of Directors. Messrs. Linatend and Davis were re-elected auditors at a fee of \$325 on the motion of Mr. Nissim seconded by Mr. Figueiredo.

KENT STILL TELLING THE WORLD

English County Gaining In Importance

It was last year that the Association of Men of Kent and Kentish Men conceived the idea of "Kent Telling The World", and in that initial booklet, the reader was able to gain a fair knowledge of the rural charms and the astonishing industrial developments of that fair corner of England.

But it was obviously impossible to compress everything of relevant importance into such a small space, which makes the current issue of "Kent Tells The World" such a welcome release.

Once again the booklet is an excellent piece of work. An attractive cover invites the reader to peruse a mine of interesting information, all of which is written in a good, free style but with great attention to accuracy.

A foreword by Captain the Hon. W. S. Cornwallis, President of the Association of Men of Kent and Kentish Men, together with messages from Kent M.P.s and Borough Mayors testify only too well to the already great interest of Kent's infant industries and their potentialities. And the other and better known features of Kent are given due prominence, with attention to its beauties and qualities as an ideal part of England to spend one's holidays.

The booklet is profusely illustrated, and its production is again a source of credit to the "Kent Messenger".—S. A. G.



"TICKLED TO DEATH." The leading spokesmen for the Senate silver bloc do not attempt to hide their satisfaction at the recent Administration policy in the matter of restoring the price of the white metal. Photo shows, left to right, Senators Adams, King, Key Pittman, and Borah, on leaving the White House.

Important Naval Meeting

CONFIDENTIAL TALK IN LONDON

London, June 27.

In connection with the bilateral conversation initiated by the British Government between the chief naval Powers for preliminary exchanges of views in preparation for next year's Naval Conference, a full meeting was held to-day at the Prime Minister's room in the House of Commons between the British and United States representatives.

The Prime Minister was accompanied by Mr. Stanley Baldwin, Sir John Simon, Sir Bolton Eyres-Monsell, Vice-Admiral Little and Mr. R. L. Craigie. The United States representatives were the Ambassador, Mr. Robert Bingham, Mr. Norman Davis, Rear-Admiral Leigh, and Mr. R. A. Thetford.

A further meeting will be held, but the date for the continuation of the discussions was not fixed.

SECRECY PRESERVED.

Mr. Baldwin, replying to a request in the Commons for a statement on the general position, said he was not prepared to give any information as to the course of the discussions, which were confidential. He said the Governments of France, Japan and Italy had also agreed to participate in bilateral conversations, and added that no decision had yet been taken as to where the 1935 Conference would be held.

A question was also asked whether definite demands for parity had been put forward by the Japanese Government, and Mr. Baldwin replied that no such demand had been received.—British Wireless.

QUIET WEDDING

MR. J. J. BASTO AND MISS O. M. BARRETTO

A quiet wedding was celebrated this morning at St. Theresa's Church, Kowloon Tong, when Miss Olivia M. Barretto, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Barretto, was married to Mr. J. J. Basto, young son of Mrs. J. M. Basto and the late Mr. J. M. de Castro Basto. The bridegroom is manager of the Noronha Printing Co., and the bride is a sister of Mrs. Leo D'Almada, Jr.

The bride, who was given away by her father, was attended by two bridesmaids, the Misses Ofelia Barretto and Lolita de Sousa. No invitations were issued but relatives and friends were welcome.

ANGLO-GERMAN PARLEY

"VERY FRIENDLY" ATMOSPHERE

London, June 27. The British representatives met the German delegation at the Treasury this morning to open discussions regarding the servicing of the German debt held by British holders.

Explanations were given as to the point of view of both sides, and the discussions, which were very friendly, were continued this afternoon. They are being resumed to-morrow.—British Wireless.

"TELEGRAPH" PHOTO COMPETITION.

Names of the Judges Now Announced

In connection with the "Telegraph" Amateur Photograph Competition, we have pleasure in announcing that Mrs. M. O. Fisher, Mr. E. A. Von Kobza-Nagy, B.A., and Mr. E. H. A. Hilgham, B. Arch., A.R.I.B.A., have kindly consented to judge the entries.

VAST AIR EXPANSION SCHEME

CABINET KEEPS THE SECRET

PLANS TO BE PUSHED AHEAD

London, June 27.

Another hint that a vast air expansion scheme will shortly be pressed forward to completion was given to-night.

Mr. Stanley Baldwin's recent assurance of the Government's determination to secure parity in the air with any country within striking distance of Great Britain was repeated by Lord Londonderry, Minister for Air, in the House of Lords, in reply to a speech by Lord Mottistone.

Lord Mottistone urged the immediate re-equipment of the inadequacy of the air defences of the United Kingdom.

PLANS SECRET.

Lord Londonderry stated that the Government could no longer hope for an international convention that would solve the problems of Europe, the Cabinet has decided that they can no longer delay in taking the steps necessary to provide adequately for the air defence of the United Kingdom.

It was impossible at the present time to give the definite nature of the contemplated expansion of the Royal Air Force or to indicate the lines along which it would proceed, but they need be no apprehensions that the plans and arrangements were not fully under way.

Earlier, in reply to Lord Ellbank, Lord Londonderry emphasised that the Dominions and the Government felt that it would be incompatible with the self-government of each and the interests of all that any attempt should be made to establish a Central Defence Air Force for the Empire. He added that nevertheless every effort was being made to link the air forces of the Empire as closely as possible.—Reuter.

GOLD EMBARGO REMOVED.

St. John's, June 27. The Newfoundland Government has issued a decree removing the embargo upon gold exports.—Reuter.

Wong Shek-chuen, aged 18, was found over by Mr. Hamilton this morning for "leaving" brass nut from the Takko Dockyard. Defendant was an apprentice fitter.

BANKER'S SON ARRESTED

FOR AIDING STRIKE PICKETS

Jersey City, June 27. Corliss W. Lamont, the son of Mr. T. W. Lamont, famous banker, was arrested here to-day for picketing in front of a local furniture factory.

He is to be charged with disorderly conduct.

Corliss Lamont is thirty-two years of age and a Socialist.—Reuter.

Later, Corliss Lamont has been released on bail of \$1,500. The hearing of the case was fixed for July 5.—Reuter.

FIRE IN OLD FOREIGN OFFICE

Serious Outbreak in Nanking

Nanking, June 28. Ten buildings were destroyed or damaged in a fire within the old Waichiaupu Compound late last night as a consequence of a short circuit.

The fire raged for half an hour before it was brought under control.

As these old buildings had been turned into a dormitory for employees of the Waichiaupu, no officials' documents were involved in the fire.—Central News.

CHINA TARIFF REVISION

JAPAN'S VIEWS TO BE CONSIDERED

Shanghai, June 27. On his return to Shanghai to-day, Mr. Ariyoshi admitted that he had submitted Japan's views to Mr. Wang in regard to the tariff problem. Mr. Wang had promised to refer his views to the Ministry of Finance for careful consideration.

Mr. Ariyoshi also said that no significance was attached to his visit to General Chiang Kai-shek at Nanking.—Central News.

SMUGGLED GOODS SEIZED

CONFISCATION ORDERS

An application for confiscation of a sack containing ten parcels of cloth, found on board the steamer Kwong Fook Cheong on June 25, was made by Sergeant Souar before Mr. Hamilton, at the Central Magistracy this morning. The cloth was unclaimed and unmanifested.

Inspector Stimson made an application for confiscation of 100 packages of salt which he found on the steamer Tai Leo on June 26, unclaimed and unmanifested. The applications were granted.

Arrested in Hongkong on Tuesday, only two months after he had been deported, Leung Kwan (18), unemployed, was at Kowloon Police Court yesterday found guilty of a breach of the order. Mr. Wynne-Jones sentenced him to nine months' hard labour.

SOCIALISM IN NO TIME

NEW VERSION BY SIR STAFFORD CRIPPS

REALIST POLICY OF ACTION

Sir Stafford Cripps, M.P., in his presidential address to the annual conference of the National Council of the Socialist League, in Leeds, discussed the present differences within the Labour Party and the best means of obtaining the Party's ultimate objective—Socialism.

"It will not help the Party to arrive at right and wise decisions," he declared, "if we attempt to hide our differences of view. We must be prepared to reason with ourselves as well as with the other man. No body of persons within our Party, however high they may rate their own intelligence or how ever elevated they may be in the hierarchy, can successfully impose a policy upon the Party. The decision must be that of the rank and file."

"There is, I believe, no important difference within the Party as to our final objective, but it is when we come to consider the means that we should adopt to reach this objective that we find wide differences of opinion."

"We have entered upon the final stage of the struggle for democracy, either we must win through to economic freedom and economic democracy, or else find ourselves faced with the prospect of a continuing capitalism which may at any moment resort to the use of brutal methods of dictatorship."

BETWEEN TWO FIRES.

"In considering our objective," Sir Stafford Cripps proceeded, "we must be quite clear that it is Socialism, and not State Capitalism or some amorphous and indeterminate collection of ideas parading as a policy. We must reach that objective, wherever possible, by a direct route though it may be that in some particular case we shall have to take a more devious path."

"The Labour Party is definitely committed to Socialism. It is too late to withdraw; if we hesitate to go forward to a bold and decisive Socialist policy, we shall suffer the worst of both worlds. The Party will be too revolutionary to attract even the small capitalist, and too reactionary to interest those who desire change and action."

"Let us address our policy not to the nervous humanitarian, who will always finally come down on the side of capitalism and no change; but rather to the conscious worker who will gladly respond to the inspiration of a realist policy of action."

"We must then obtain a mandate for the use of every power that exists under the Constitution with which to arm a working-class Government in the final round of the struggle for economic power."

A FIVE YEAR PLAN.

The principal task of the Conference was to discuss their recently issued statement of policy, "Forward to Socialism," described by Mr. J. F. Horrabin, who presented it, as "A first-Five-year Plan for a Socialist Government."

Miss Jean Thompson, on behalf of the Sheffield branch, moved the reference back of the whole document on the ground that it was mainly critical rather than constructive, and failed to create the basis of a militant spirit and will to power.

Mr. T. Howard (Rochdale), opposing the reference back, said: "If we are not very careful we may divorce ourselves from the ordinary membership of the Trade Union organisation by getting too far away from their outlook."

Mr. P. Arnold (Hendon) expressed the wish that the document had been strangled at birth. It inspired no enthusiasm; it was disappointing, unfair, vague and loose.

Mr. W. Mellor, for the Council of the League, declared that the document was put forward in terms which the intelligent might not understand, but the workers would.

The motion to refer the document back was defeated by 51 votes to 13.

During discussion on amendments to the document,

A delegate asked the Chairman (Sir Stafford Cripps): "Is there not already in existence a Labour Shadow Cabinet?"

Sir Stafford Cripps: I have never met it.

Mr. J. T. Murphy (Holborn) said that a paragraph regarding

NO DENIAL OF HUGE PURCHASE PLAN

REFUSE TO DISCUSS QUESTION

GENERAL FUND TO BE USED

Washington, June 27.

If Senator Dies yesterday revealed Administration secrets regarding proposals to embark upon a huge silver-purchasing programme, the Treasury declines to admit that any cat has been let out of any bag.

The report that the United States Government has decided to embark upon a silver-buying programme involving the purchase of some 1,254,000,000 ounces in the course of the next six months has aroused widespread interest, but the effect has been to close the avenues of information at the Treasury, where officials refuse to discuss the question of silver.

TREASURY MUM.

The Treasury is at present authorised to purchase silver exceeding a thousand million ounces, but it cannot at present be definitely determined whether they intend to do so or when.

Treasury officials also decline to comment on the statement of Senator Dies that the Treasury has already bought 75,000,000 ounces of silver.

GENERAL FUND BUYING.

The Treasury has throughout consistently declined to reveal the figures of its purchases and as most of the silver purchased has been paid for from the resources of the Stabilisation Fund, the figures do not appear in the daily Treasury statement.

The Treasury, however, intends to begin purchases from its general fund at some time in the near future and its acquisitions of silver will then be shown daily.

BROKERS WARNED.

The Commissioner of Internal Revenue has warned brokers holding long positions for holders outside the United States that they must procure immediately sworn statements from their clients covering the facts which must be shown upon liquidation, if they are liquidated after September 1. Until then, if it is impossible to obtain a memorandum sworn to by the owner, the broker must prepare a memorandum on behalf of the owner if the contract is to be liquidated.—Reuter.

Arrested yesterday at the Kowloon railway station carrying 17 teals of prepared opium in two bags, Chau Yuk, widow of Tai Chan Village, was ordered to pay a fine of \$1,500 or go to prison for five months at Kowloon Police Court this morning. Revenue Officer Brown was in charge of the case.

workers' control had been put forward in contradiction of Mr. Herbert Morrison and all those theoreticians of the Labour movement who think the workers are going to have new "gaffers" instead of becoming their own "gaffers."

"EXCLUSIVE" SCHOOLS.

At the suggestion of Sir Charles Trevelyan, a former Minister of Education, the League agreed to the withdrawal for rewording of a resolution calling for the abolition of exclusive schools, and the creation of a comprehensive free State educational system.

Sir Charles said he assumed that the resolution referred to the abolition of the exclusiveness of Eton and Harrow. "That is a very good thing," he added. "I was, unfortunately, educated at one of them, but the last thing I want to see is the perpetuation of the Public Schools of England and their temper."

"The way in which, in all probability, we are going to get rid of most of the evils of the Public Schools is by building hundreds of schools for the rest of the community which will put Eton and Harrow into insignificance."

Sir Charles stated that what he wanted was classless education, for the biggest curse of our society was its division into classes.

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MARRIED FLIRTS

(Continued from Page 3.)

"Don't be so fierce, Sue," Gypsy said gently. "He said you were burning the candle at both ends."

"Hunt said that!" Sue linked her white fingers and stared out of the window at the armory opposite. "Ha! That's really funny."

"Well, I don't know," pursued Gypsy. "He said you were partying every night until the small hours and that you'd lost weight and your mother was scolding. But I didn't pay much attention to that. I know how she always worries."

"I don't know what on earth Hunt Gilson has to do with me," Sue said hotly and proudly. "It's none of his business what I do or where I go."

"Of course, of course it isn't," Gypsy said quickly. "He was only being kind. He's so fond of you."

"Fond! Indeed!"

"Well, isn't he your cousin, after all?"

"About a forty-seventh one," Sue said with emphasis.

"Well, then!" Gypsy dropped another lump into her tea. She told herself she didn't know what had got into Sue, she was so queer to-day.

The other girl's breath was coming more quickly now. She was fixing Gypsy with a glittering, feverish gaze.

"Will you tell Hunt to mind his own business if he speaks of me again?"

"Sue, dear, I don't know what this is all about," the other girl began placatingly. "I'm terribly sorry."

"You ought to know," Sue said with a shrug. "You ought to be able to guess. He talks of nothing else. It's Gypsy... Gypsy..."

Tom's words came back to her and she flushed. What was Sue driving at and why did she look at her so accusingly?

(To Be Continued.)

CHINA'S EMISSARY.

ENTERTAINED AT ROME BY MUSSOLINI

Rome, June 27.

Following the Chinese Legation dinner at Rome on June 1, Signor Mussolini to-day honored a dinner in honour of Mr. Lu Wen-tao and Mr. Yu Fei-peng, Vice-Minister of Communications. Many leading political figures and diplomats were present at the dinner.

Mr. Yu Fei-peng is heading a mission to Italy to study civil and military communications in the country.

The Chinese leader was granted an audience with the Pope, and presented him with a silk tapestry, embroidered with birds and flowers, as an augury of peace and good fortune. The Pope discussed China affairs with him in the most cordial terms.

Mr. Yu is also studying, at first hand, the workings of the Fascist system, for which he says the Chinese have a keen admiration.—*Reuter*.

SEAT RETAINED.

CONSERVATIVE VICTORY IN BY-ELECTION

London, June 27.

The Weston-Super-Mare by-election, consequent on the appointment of Lord Erskine to the Governorship of Madras, resulted in the constituency being retained by the Conservatives.

The following is the result of the poll:

L. Orr-Ewing (Cons.) 21,203
H. S. Stokes (Liberal) 7,651
A. E. Millett (Labour) 5,716

Conservative majority 13,482
In the General Elections of 1931, Lord Erskine, in a straight contest with the Labour candidate, Mr. W. B. Craig, had a clear majority of 29,350 votes.—*Reuter*.

CINEMA SCREENINGS

NOTES SUPPLIED BY THE THEATRES

A distinguished cast recruited from the leading players of both stage and screen were selected to support Ruth Chatterton in the First National picture, "Female," which opens to-day at the Queen's Theatre. George Brent, her husband, who also played with her in "The Crash," "Lilly Turner," and "The Rich Are Always With Us," has the leading masculine role. Ruth Donnelly, former stage favourite, who made an outstanding hit in "Blessed Event" and "Hard to Handle," has an important comedy role. Johnny Mack Brown, "The Philo," and "The Rick Are Always With Us," has the leading masculine role. Ruth Donnelly, former stage favourite, who made an outstanding hit in "Blessed Event" and "Hard to Handle," has an important comedy role. Johnny Mack Brown, "The Philo," and "The Rick Are Always With Us," has the leading masculine role. Ruth Donnelly, former stage favourite, who made an outstanding hit in "Blessed Event" and "Hard to Handle," has an important comedy role. Johnny Mack Brown, "The Philo," and "The Rick Are Always With Us," has the leading masculine role.

"Four Frightened People"

The superb showmanship of Cecil B. DeMille is once more made manifest in his latest Paramount picture, "Four Frightened People," which is now playing at the King's Theatre. This picture, which repeats the success of his memorable "Male and Female" of several years ago, is one of the most colourful pieces of screen entertainment that it has been our pleasure to see for many a month. Against a background of the most amazing jungle scenery ever brought to the screen, the story details the adventures of four highly cultured people, two women and two men, who are forced to escape from a Dutch steamer when bubonic plague breaks out. Lost for months in a Malay jungle, they turn to primitive manners and habits. The transformation of a prim little school teacher into a beautiful jungle creature over whom the men fight provides some highly novel situations. This latter role played by Claudette Colbert is the most outstanding achievement of her career and more than justifies her elevation to stardom. Herbert Marshall and William Gargan, in contrasting roles, enhance the story with finely drawn portrayals.

"Ever in My Heart"

Barbara Stanwyck, whose latest starring vehicle for Warner Bros., "Ever in My Heart," comes to-day to the Alhambra Theatre, is supported in this picture by a notable cast of stage and screen celebrities, several of whom have been starred in their own names. Otto Kruger, who is comparatively new to pictures, has the leading masculine role. He is however a veteran of the New York stage—a great Broadway favourite who has starred in many productions before the footlights. Among his most notable successes are such productions as "The Sign of the Cross," "The Great Barrington," and "The Ladies." Ralph Bellamy, Ruth Donnelly and Laura Hope Crews are all products of the Broadway stage who have been appearing in pictures the past two years. Bellamy rose to screen success with such pictures as "The Narrow Corner," "Picture Snatcher" and "Airmail." Miss Donnelly, who made her first big hit in pictures in "Blessed Event" has repeated that success in such pictures as "The Sign of the Cross," "The Bureau of Missing Persons," "Miss Crews is noted for her stage work both in this country, in England and on the Continent. She was long one of Henry Miller's famous stars and appeared in "The Silver Cord," "Mr. Pitt," "Passion," and "Olympia."

Other noted stage and screen celebrities in the cast include Elizabeth Patterson, Donald Meek, Harry Belafonte, Frank Albertson, Clara Blandick, Wallis Clark, Nella Walker, George Cooper, Frank Belcher, Virginia Howell, Ronnie Crosby and Florence Roberts. The screen play by Bertram Milhauser is a powerful drama based on a story by Milhauser and Beulah Marie Dix. Archie Mayo directed.

"Good Dame"

Those two dramatic screen stars, Sylvia Sydney and Freddie March, who gave such good accounts of themselves in "Merrily We Go to Hell," are together again. This time it's another Paramount picture entitled

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LABOUR BOARD

INVESTIGATE PACIFIC COAST STRIKE

Washington, June 27.

By Executive Order issued to-day, President Roosevelt established a Labour Board, under the chairmanship of the Rev. Edward Hanna, to deal with the Longshoremen's strike on the Pacific coast.

The Board is authorised to investigate all facts and issues connected with the dispute and report its findings and recommendations to President Roosevelt.—*Reuter*.

"Good Dame." It comes on Saturday to the King's Theatre. Using a colourful background, the romance of a "good" girl and a "bad" boy was written by William Lipman, Broadway playwright and for years a star columnist on the New York Herald Tribune. Marion Goring, who directed several of the Sylvia Sydney screen vehicles, also directed "Good Dame."

"Bombshell"

"Bombshell," showing at the Oriental Theatre on Friday and Saturday, is the first picture in which Jean Harlow and Lee Tracy have been costarred. The picture is based on a play by Caroline Francke and Mack Crane. As Lola Burns, an exotic and sensational film star, the platinum blonde is reported to have one of the most effective and entertaining characterizations of her career. Lee Tracy, one of the most dynamic personalities in pictures, plays opposite Miss Harlow as her bombastic publicity director who is responsible for many of the difficulties in which she finds herself with the studio executives. A noteworthy supporting cast was gathered together for "Bombshell." Frank Morgan, Franklyn Tane, Pat O'Brien, Una Merkel, Ted Healy, Ivan Loboedoff, Isobel Jewell, Louise Beavers, Leonard Carey, Mary Forbes, C. Aubrey Smith, June and Brewster.

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BANDIT ATTACK ON CHURCH

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Shanghai, June 28.
A graphic story of an attempt to destroy the Roman Catholic church at Zose, in the Shanghai hills last week, was revealed today by Father Savio.

Father Savio was alone in his residence near the church when he was aroused by the barking of his dogs and noticed that the church was on fire.

He immediately rushed out, with a revolver in his hand, and attempted to beat out the blaze.

He was fired upon by one of three bandits while engaged in the task and he returned the fire with his revolver, with what effect he did not know, other than that the bandits fled.

A fox terrier who joined him in chase of the gang was slightly wounded.—*Reuter.*

**SIR FREDK. MAZE
IN LONDON**

LONG TALK WITH THE
PREMIER

London, June 27.
Mr. Ramsay MacDonald had a long talk this evening with Sir Frederick Maze, who visited the Prime Minister in his room at the House of Commons.—*Reuter.*

THE NULLAH OUTRAGE

MAN STILL IN
DETENTION WARD

LIKELY TO STAY
A FORTNIGHT

Enquiries made this morning at Police Headquarters yielded the information that the Chinese who was rescued from the nullah after the outrage which resulted in the death of Michael Pine is still in the detention ward at the Government Civil Hospital.

The detained man has not yet been able to make a coherent statement, or to give an account of his movements on the day of the outrage.

It is likely that he will have to remain in hospital for at least another fortnight, as he is suffering from a broken thigh and other injuries.

Should his identity be definitely established as the perpetrator of the outrage and a charge be preferred against him, the indictment will be one of murder.

**BRITISH AMBASSADOR
IN JAPAN**

Presents Credentials
to Emperor

Tokyo, June 28.
Sir Robert Clive, the new British Ambassador in Tokyo, and his suite, proceeded to the Imperial Palace at 10.15 a.m. today and presented his credentials. The proceedings were extremely cordial.—*Reuter.*

LANCASHIRE BETTER PLEASED

ATTACK ON UNFAIR
COMPETITION

TRADE OUTLOOK
IMPROVED

London, June 27.
Steps taken by the British Government to counteract certain aspects of unfair trade competition based on deliberate currency depreciation were welcomed by Sir Allan Sykes at the annual meeting of the Bleachers' Association in Manchester.

Reviewing the effects of the Textile Mission's visit to India, he said the mission had contributed a new and better feeling between the two countries.

In referring to the results of India's recent negotiations with Japan, he thought it reasonable to assume that India would now use not less than an additional 200 million yards of Lancashire-made cloth.

An increase of Lancashire's textile trade, he added, would be substantial in volume if the world's trade as a whole increased. Lancashire was well equipped to take the fullest advantage of any improvement, of which there were some signs.—*British Wireless.*

TRADE AGREEMENT SIGNED

London, June 27.
The Anglo-French Trade Agreement was signed at the Foreign Office this afternoon by Sir John Simon and Mr. Walter Runciman on behalf of Britain and by the French Ambassador on behalf of France.—*British Wireless.*

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